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Fair tonight; Sunday probably showers by night

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ASSEMBLY BUNCH IN FEVERISH RUSH TRIES LAST RUSE TO SAVE THE GANG FROM REAL PROBE

WANTS JOINT SESSION INVESTIGATED IN 3 DAYS

CALLS MEN WHO 'MAY KNOW'

HOPES TO KILL SEPARATE SENATE INQUIRY

HE MAKES ATTACK ON BOB

HASLAM OF APPLETON TELLS OF POLITICAL WORK

THIS GOVERNOR NEVER DID

Neither Davidson nor Stone Made Him Work Politics but La Follette Did, He Says

MADISON, Wis., April 3.—(Special.)—Left to themselves today the five assembly members of the primary investigation committee began a last desperate effort to retain control of the probe into the election of Stephenson by the legislature. None of the senate members were present, and the assemblymen voted to call all the important witnesses as to the joint session charges to the stand before the joint probe ends April 10. Subpoenas were ordered issued calling up the following to appear before the committee Wednesday morning:

Assemblyman Peter Leuch, Zimmermann, J. A. Domochowski, John T. Farrell, Thomas Ramsey and S. A. Towne.

Witnesses Important

Leuch is the man who said in the assembly more than a month ago that if the last joint session were probed he would have disclosures to make. Zimmermann is the man who last Thursday said in the assembly that a member had told him that he was offered \$1,500 to absent himself in order to promote the election of Stephenson. Ramsey and Towne are the three democrats who suddenly left the chamber just in time to insure the election of Stephenson. Domochowski is the man to whom it is believed Leuch and Zimmermann referred in their charges of attempted corruption as having been approached with a bribe.

See Old Motive

This move is not regarded as an effort to get at the facts on the part of the assemblymen. Having kept these witnesses off the stand by the force of their majority, it is not likely that they want them called now in the rush of the last three days of the probe in order to wring from them things hurtful to Stephenson, things they could have gotten at with deliberation and certainty had they chosen.

The move is regarded as the last coup of the satellites. They are believed to want these men called now and examined while they sit by to impede and object and to offer other help when they slip into holes. They want it all rushed through in a chaotic scramble, and then they will tell the legislature there is no need of further probing, no need of a senate committee, for the ground has been covered. Thus the fear of what would happen were these witnesses handled without interference by Marsh, Morris and Hastings, is somewhat allayed, and the trembles that followed the Stone confession of yesterday may be let slip into history.

Others Called

Subpoenas were also ordered for H. L. Bowman of Waukesha, to whom Stone swore yesterday he gave \$100 of Stephenson's money; for Dr. F. H. Gabe of Manitowish, and T. H. Stephens of Lancaster. These men all handled Stephenson money.

W. C. Wheeler, retiring United States district attorney, came before the committee with a bundle of canceled checks to show what he did with Stephenson money. His testimony was unimportant.

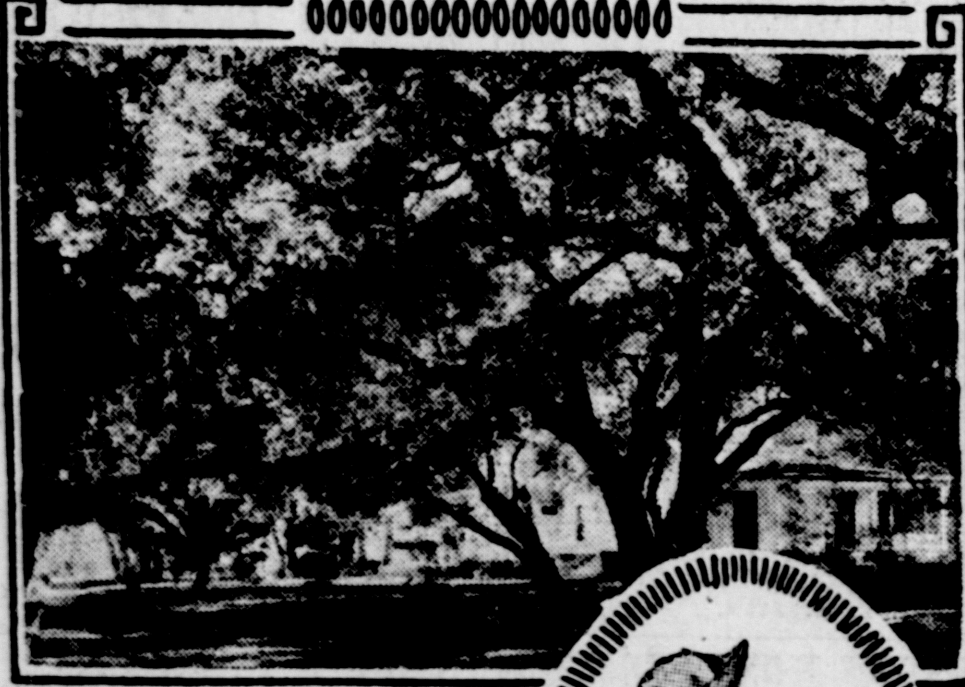
This morning W. C. Haslam of Appleton, was on the stand at the behest of the assembly members, and told how he had spent \$26 for Stephenson. He is a game warden, but had done the work during his month of annual vacation, and had charged nothing to the state, either salary or expenses.

Slap at Bob

Haslam added to the entertainment by getting after Senator La Follette. He said La Follette had sent him into Grant county to support Blaine against Babcock for congress. He said on the train going out of the county after that fight he was told that there were forty state officials aboard who had been sent in there by the governor to help Blaine.

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MME. MODJESKA AND HER BEAUTIFUL HOME IN ORANGE CO., CAL. WHERE SHE IS DYING TODAY



LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 3.—Mme. Helena Modjeska can live only a few hours. It was learned today that she had been a state of coma for 24 hours and that the end is expected momentarily. She is at her home on Newport island, near here. Her husband is at her bedside. Madame Modjeska is 65 years old, of Polish birth and descent. She made her debut on the stage at Pochnia, Poland, in a comedietta entitled "The White Camellia," when not 17 years of age. It was in 1876 when she made her first American appearance at San Francisco in "Adrienne Lecouvreur," and her London debut four years later in "Camille," under the title of "Heartsease."



SUITER ELOQUENT IN CONCORDIA HALL

CANDIDATE TALKS OF DUTY OF VOTERS

ELIMINATES THE ANECDOTES

Republican Candidate Confines Himself to Serious Discussion of the Issues

"We are interested in our own welfare, that of the community and city, and for the betterment of our own, because the welfare of the community at large. Your family is interested just as well as you are yourself, because the welfare of yourself is the welfare of your family. We now separate municipal differences from national affairs. Therefore we meet on the common ground of brotherly consideration. I present to you two parties. Not only my own but the other side as well. We wish to show you which promises the most, secures the most and is most likely to give you the most. It is then your duty to choose that party which you feel will give you the most. It is then your duty to choose that party which you feel will give the best government. If we claim one thing and they claim the other it is your duty to carefully weigh the statements of each side and on election day vote as your conscience dictates. This will make good government."

Friend C. Sulter, in the guise of a philosopher, appeared before First and Eleventh ward crowds last night at Concordia hall. Without a story, and scarcely an anecdote to break the thread of his argument, he earnestly discussed the situation with a hall full of voters who eagerly drank in every word. Mr. Sulter's speeches can be interesting without humor, and he made an eloquent plea for republican votes last night.

The two platforms of the rival parties took much of his time and he read them both through to impress their contents upon his hearers. Each was explained and enlarged upon by the speaker, who talked on the park policy, health plank, streets, water, sewer, and other works.

Taxes Paramount

Taxation is the paramount issue of the campaign, he said. The speaker branded as extravagant or unwise many of the expenditures of the last two years including the park proposition.

He declared that the democratic platform had holes in it which can be seen through, and that Ori J. Sorensen, the candidate, had attempted to patch these up by stealing the thunder of the republican platform which he embodied in a declaration of principles of his own and later tacked onto the platform as an appendix.

Thompson Talks Taxes

James Thompson talked of taxation also and with the aid of a chart showed the increase by years since

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CALLS REPUBLICAN CITY TICKET JOKE

OUTGROWTH OF AMBITIONS OF SMALL POLITICIANS

MAHONEY TALKS ON TAXES

Declares if Republicans are Elected the City Will Go Back to Where It Was 12 Years Ago

Predicting that if the republicans were elected to office at the coming election, the city of La Crosse would resume its condition of twelve years ago, Paul Mahoney, the first democratic speaker at the democratic meeting at Meinert's hall last evening, stated that inside of four years the city of Madison would pass La Crosse in size and importance.

In speaking of republicans, Mr. Mahoney stated that they are not accomplishing so much in this state as far as reducing taxes go, for during the last ten years expenses of the state have increased from \$2,500,000 to \$5,500,000. In speaking of republican administration and long terms of office Mr. Mahoney said that no one would say that Congressmen Esch had been in office too long, but that the people immediately clamored for a change when the city offices were held for more than two terms by the same men.

On the question of taxes the speaker read the editorial on the front page of Friday's Tribune. This he said was a fair statement of the tax question. "The big industries of the city are not afraid of the taxes," said Mr. Mahoney, "why should our republican friends raise such a hue and cry over the subject?"

Praises James T. Day

In speaking of the candidates Mr. Mahoney praised James T. Day, one of the democratic candidates for the board of public works. "Mr. Day," he said, "has an enviable record, and in regard to the charges that he hired Dagges at the building of the normal school, the talk is all nonsense. Mr. Day had no more to do with the hiring of the men than you or I had."

That a circular stating that if the

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TEDDY IN NARROW ESCAPE FROM SEA

EX-PRESIDENT WAS HEADED FOR DAVY JONES' LOCKER

WAVE SWAMPS HIS BOAT

Boarding Liner in Choppy Sea Fraught With Dangers to Notable Lord Lubber

GIBRALTAR, April 3.—Theodore Roosevelt was in serious danger on Tuesday afternoon off Ponta del Gada in the Azores.

A great wave swept him into the sea from a small boat in which he was returning from a visit to that city. He might have lost his life or at least had a hard struggle for it had not two brawny sailors caught him when another wave pitched him toward the side of the Hamburg.

Reaches Shore Safely. The small boat got ashore without accident, and as it was rowed away from the Hamburg the ship's band

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EDITORIAL

The Tribune takes pleasure today in publishing the following letter from the Trades and Labor Council:

To the Editor of The La Crosse Tribune:

The Trades and Labor council feels its duty to answer the editorial published in your paper under the date of April 1st in reference to the action taken at their regular meeting held Friday, March 26th. Before relating what transpired at this meeting we wish to state that the Trades and Labor council is composed of three delegates from every union affiliated with it whose national or international organizations are affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. No person whose union is not affiliated can be present except by a majority vote of the delegates.

Mr. James T. Day appeared at the above mentioned meeting with a request that he be granted the privilege of addressing the body, but on account of his local union not being affiliated with us nor his international with the A. F. of L., his request was left to a vote of the delegates present, with the result that it was defeated. As to the discourtesy and political treachery of a man rising in the Trades and Labor council to prevent a fellow candidate from being given leave to defend himself we wish to say that Mr. Schnell is not a delegate to this body nor was he present at the time. Shortly before adjournment Mr. Schnell appeared to pay the per capita tax for the Brewsters' union of which he is financial secretary.

NO ACTION WAS TAKEN FOR OR AGAINST MR. DAY FOR COMMISSIONER OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS. T. & L. C.

The Tribune seems to have erred in saying that Mr. Schnell was spokesman when Mr. Day was excluded, and the fact that the council took no action against Mr. Day justifies it in having declined to admit him, as there was nothing officially before the body against which he was interested in entering a defense.

However, Mr. Schnell does not fraternize with Mr. Day on the party ticket, and his conduct in making a personal matter ground for bitter opposition to Mr. Day is in no way affected by the facts as to the council meeting. The Tribune feels that through misinformation it was unfair to the council, but it feels that no injustice has been done Mr. Schnell, whose conduct in persistently declining to fraternize with Mr. Day while on the same ticket with him is ample evidence of his hostility to his uncommonly able running-mate.

BOTH SIDES OF MUNICIPAL LIGHT PLANT QUESTION DISCUSSED FOR INFORMATION OF VOTERS TUESDAY

Tuesday the people of La Crosse, beside voting for city officials, will vote for or against the establishment of a municipal lighting plant. THIS IS A VERY IMPORTANT MATTER. It has not been discussed before the public as freely as it should have been, and today The Tribune presents both views of the case.

Jacob Cloos, expert for the city, urges the voters to vote in favor of the plant.

The La Crosse Gas & Electric company, speaking for itself, asks the voters to kill the proposition.

Both Mr. Cloos and the company have presented communications to The Tribune, setting forth their views. Mr. Cloos' statement is that of a consulting engineer in good standing. He may or may not have a selfish interest in wanting a plant built. The company naturally is influenced to oppose the municipal plant because it does not want to lose the business of street lighting. THE TRIBUNE urges taxpayers to cut out both communications, and give this matter careful study between now and Tuesday. Compare the statement of the expert with that of the company, and decide without prejudice or bias, casting your vote for what you think is for the best interest of the city.

One point should be borne in mind in comparing the tables. It is that the estimate of the company that the city would lose \$144,000 includes its own private loss of its present equipment for street lighting, which it estimates at \$100,000. The interests of the consumers and the producers are often closely associated, but are not identical, and where the citizen is the buyer and the company the seller it may be proper to ignore much or all of this \$100,000.

The success of a municipal plant depends largely upon the selection of efficient officials to manage it. This is a point that should be taken into consideration. The two statements, carefully read and digested, should provide the voters with a basis for determining the feasibility of the plan. The company's statement that it can "furnish the service at the same price the city can operate" is disputed by a large margin—50 per cent—by Engineer Cloos, whose summary declares that the city can do its own lighting at \$31 per lamp as against \$62 by the company's bid, but he fails to consider loss of taxes to the city, an item of some importance. Upon the relative accuracy of these figures the decision of the voters must turn. The respective communications are as follows:

BRIEF OF THE LIGHT CO. TO THE VOTERS

La Crosse, Wis., April 2, 1909.

Editor La Crosse Tribune:

Dear Sir: We enclose you herewith a copy of a circular letter which we are addressing to our consumers with reference to the establishment of a municipal lighting plant.

An explanation of this statement will show that the loss to the city of La Crosse and its citizens during a ten year period of operation will be as follows:

Loss of taxes on the present plant at \$1,900.00 per year, for ten years would equal \$19,000.00.

Interest on the estimated investment required by the city for a new plant, 5 per cent on \$50,000.00 would equal \$2,500.00 per year or a total of \$25,000.00 for the ten years.

It would also mean a complete waste of the existing plant of \$100,000.00, making a total of \$144,000.00, actual loss to the city of La Crosse and its citizens.

There can be no gain, as this company is willing to furnish the service at the same price as the city can operate.

There are a great many ways of producing current other than the present method of steam and claims are made that it can be done by producer plants as low as one horse power for one pound of coal and it can be done by water power for even less cost. Capable engineers will tell you, however, that the

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BRIEF OF ENGINEER CLOOS FOR VOTERS

Editor La Crosse Tribune,

La Crosse, Wis.

Dear Sir:

In compliance with the request of several members of the committee on street lighting, I have made a supplementary report on the installation of a Suction Gas Producer and Gas Engine Plant for Municipal Lighting in conjunction with the city pumping station, of which I herewith present copy for your esteemed publication.

The purport and intent of this supplementary report is to ascertain the cost of installation, operation and maintenance of a gas producer plant as motive power for a municipal electric lighting plant for the arc light system only. The load on the street lighting system is at all times a constant and full load and therefore presents an ideal proposition for a gas producer installation, while the two small units for lighting the public buildings, school houses, etc., carry only a small fraction of their fullest capacity, and a far better economy can be maintained by the use of steam engines supplied by the boilers of the pumping station. The economy of a suction gas producer and gas engine power plant is too well known to need any explanation, but for the benefit of those unfamiliar with this motive power, I will state that every manufacturer of this class of machinery will guarantee one break

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SAYS JESUS CHRIST WAS MISQUOTED

CHICAGO, April 3.—A new religious sensation was furnished by the university of Chicago today when Prof. Henry B. Shermann, instructor of new testament history and literature at the university, issued a book in which he declared that the Bible grossly misrepresents the sayings of Jesus Christ and that the apostles, Matthew and Luke particularly, interjected "editorial material which is of marked character and open to grave suspicion." The book is entitled "Threatening of Jesus About the Future."

FORT WORTH, TEX., BURNING TODAY

FORT WORTH, Texas, April 3.—The entire south part of the city is burning. Dallas has been asked to send relief. Part of the Dallas fire department has been sent.

FIRST BIG CRASH IN WHEAT BATTLE

NEW YORK, April 3.—The first big failure resulting from Chicago's bull wheat was announced today in the suspension of the brokerage firm of John Dickinson & Co., of 42 Broadway and La Salle street, Chicago. The firm were members of the Consolidated Exchange and the Chicago board of trade. The liabilities are said to be \$250,000.

"We will pay every dollar due on transactions on the board of trade and expect to get back on our feet in the near future," said Murphy today.

John H. Dickinson, head of the firm, was suspended from the board of trade seven years ago but was later reinstated. He has been regarded as a bull in the wheat market.

CHICAGO, April 3.—John Dickinson & Co. have posted notices on the board of trade saying all trades will be closed out at once. They say they have very few open claims and "money enough on hand to meet them."

MRS. RACKLEMAN SUCCUMBS TODAY

Mrs. John Rackleman, a resident of La Crosse for over 40 years, died at her home, at 120 South Third street. Mrs. Rackleman was stricken with paralysis last Monday and hopes were entertained for her recovery until this morning, when her condition became worse and the end came at 10 o'clock.

The deceased was 72 years old and had resided at the home on South Third street for over 35 years. Besides her husband she leaves a son, John Bower of Hastings, Minn., who was here at her deathbed, and a daughter, Mrs. John Neukomm of this city.

The funeral will be held Monday afternoon at 2:30 from the house. Interment will be made in the Oak Grove cemetery.

VISITS MOTHER

Mrs. A. B. Crawford of Butte, Mont., is a guest of her mother, Mrs. Mann, 712 State street.

FIND MOON BOY AS FATHER IS LURED BY WICKED FIEND

CRUEL PLOT TO ROB BEREAVED PARENTS SEEN

BEAST IS A WISCONSIN MAN

DECOY LETTER SENT FROM DELAVAN—ARREST IS NEAR

DROWNED, NOT KIDNAPPED

Body Found Today While Father Is on Way to Pay Ransom to Supposed Abductor

FLINT, Mich., April 3.—Black-mailer's attempt to extort money from the parents of Harold Moon, who was thought to have been kidnapped from his home here on Feb. 27, was foiled just in the nick of time today by the discovery of the boy's body in a neighboring pond. The local authorities immediately telegraphed the boy's father, who was on the point of paying \$500 or more to persons in Delavan, Wis., who, prompted by the methods of the Whittia kidnapers, had led the parents to suppose that they held the 10-year-old boy for ransom. Word from Delavan says that the detectives employed by Moon have a description of the blackmailers and expect to arrest one or more of them today.

"Mr. Moon," the bereaved mother today said, "got a letter telling him to go to Chicago and call for a letter addressed to L. N. Newell, which would instruct him where to leave the money which he was told to bring for the safe return of our boy. My husband arrived safely in Chicago, and said he would go at once to secure the letter. Since that time I have had no word from him. He took the Chicago letter with him and I do not know where he can be found."

"Mr. Moon told me he would consult with the Pinkerton detective agency in Chicago before paying out any money," Mrs. Moon added.

She did not know how much money he took with him, but the family is not wealthy. The finding of the body proves that the boy was not kidnapped, as many thought, and that the letter to Mr. Moon was as cunning and cruel an attempt at robbery as ever came under the notice of the Michigan authorities.

Empty the Lake.

Men have been dragging the lake and the river for several weeks and had almost given up when as a last resort wires were stretched across the flood gates of the lake and the water allowed to run out today. The body was found about 100 feet from shore with the feet and legs tangled in the water grass. The boy's skates were fastened to his shoes, showing that he went through the ice while skating. The body was in a good state of preservation.

Trailing the Brute.

DEHAVAN, Wis., April 3.—An arrest in the case of Harold Moon, who was found drowned at Flint, Mich., this morning, is expected here momentarily, following a secret visit to this place by Luman N. Moon, father of the boy. Moon came here

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WEATHER AND WATER



Coldest in La Crosse, 36; warmest, 48; wind, 12 miles at 7 a. m.; precipitation, .04 inch.

Extremes in U. S.—Havre, 26; Phoenix, 90.

Stage of water, 6.7, a fall of .1 foot; at Prairie du Chien, 7.5, a rise of .3 foot.

The river will rise. Weather forecasts today: Wisconsin.—Fair tonight; Sunday increasing cloudiness with possibly showers in afternoon or night. Minnesota.—Partly cloudy tonight with warmer west portion; Sunday probably showers.

EVERY DAY IS A BUSY DAY

For the merchant who advertises regularly and persistently the year round. The man who only puts in an ad once a month or a few times a season, and then quits because he does not seem to fill his store with people, is not advertising. He's like the man who started to learn the carpenter trade and quit because he couldn't drive in the big nails with one blow of his hammer. If you want to make a success of your advertising you must do it regularly and give it time to show you.

Not a Drop of Alcohol

What is a "tonic"? A medicine that increases the strength or tone of the whole system. What is an "alterative"? A medicine that alters or changes unhealthy action to healthy action. Name the best "tonic and alterative"? Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the only Sarsaparilla entirely free from alcohol. Never take a medicine doctors cannot endorse. J.C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

Without daily action of the bowels poisonous products must be absorbed. Then you have impure blood, biliousness, headache. Ask your doctor about Ayer's Pills for constipation.

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At the General City Election Tuesday, April 6.

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CANDIDATE

FOR

County School Superintendent.

Sports of all Sorts



LONGBOAT FAVORITE OF MARATHON DERBY

ALL IN READINESS FOR GREAT-
EST RACE OF THE YEAR

MEANS \$5,000 FOR WINNER

Pick of the World's Long Distance
Runners Will Compete in To-
day's Contest

NEW YORK, April 3.—On the historic Polo grounds, made doubly famous last year by the great fight for the pennant by the Chicago Cubs and the New York Giants, six of the greatest runners in the world will compete this afternoon in a Marathon derby. Not only will the winner be hailed as the world's greatest Marathon runner but he will receive \$5,000 of the \$10,000 purse. The second man will receive \$2,500, the third \$1,500, and the fourth man \$1,000 of the purse.

America, Canada, Ireland, England, France and Italy will be represented in the race which will rival any previous running of this famous Greek classic.

America is represented by little Johnny Hayes, the winner of the Olympic race last year, Matthew Maloney, who up to the time he turned professional, was the peer of all amateurs, will try to capture the honor for old Erin. Tom Longboat, the Onandaga Indian, at present the champion of them all.

Dorando Pietri, who collapsed in the Olympic race last year, when he all but had that classic won, will represent Italy; Alfred Shrubbs, who is without an equal in distances up to 20 miles, will try and uphold the honor of John Bull, while Henry St. Yves, a new comer on this side, is the French entrant.

Despite the fact that each of the contestants has a host of admirers, Longboat has been made the favorite in the betting, due to the number of Canadians who are backing the Indian and also to the fact that he has beaten both Dorando and Shrubbs. Dorando has been made second choice in the betting.

In addition several wagers have been made on man against man. Maloney being picked by some to beat Hayes and Shrubbs to defeat Longboat and Dorando. At 3 o'clock the men will be sent on their long journey of 26 miles and 385 yards by Senator "Tim" Sullivan and the race will be run on a five lap track.

For two weeks, the contestants have been conditioning themselves. Weather conditions were cloudy this morning with every indication that rain would fall. Should it rain, the race will be postponed until the first clear day.

WILL DECIDE A. A. U. BASKETBALL TITLE

CHICAGO, April 3.—Chas. A. Dean chairman of the A. A. U. championship basketball committee, has called a meeting of the committee to decide the protest which was lodged against the Illinois A. C. five, winners of the unlimited championships which were held at Detroit last week. The west side Y. M. C. A. lodged the protest against the winners, claiming that Osborne, the I. A. C. forward, was a professional. The committee considered the case thoroughly with the result that it found nothing in the evidence presented to call Osborne a professional.

SPRITS WAGNER KILL JOIN PIRATES APRIL 10

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 3.—Tommy Leach is on the sick list and Wagner will be missing until April 10. Otherwise Manager Fred Clark of the Pittsburgh team, who arrived here last night with a full squad to play exhibition games, on the return home expressed satisfaction over the condition of the Pirates. There are no aches nor sprains, says Clark, who has been with the Pirates in Hot Springs for three weeks.

FRANK GOTCH FAILS TO THROW ORDEMAN

CHICAGO, April 3.—Frank Gotch's condition must greatly improve before he wrestles Yussif Mahmoud on April 14, if he wishes to retain the championship title. Is the opinion of all who saw him wrestle last night at a local theater with Henry Ordeaman, the Minnesotan. Gotch was to throw Ordeaman in 20 minutes, in which he failed. Ordeaman had the champion on the defensive several times and at the close of the bout was actually on top. Gotch is training faithfully for his bout with the Turk and says that he is in condition now to defend his title.

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OXFORD TRIUMPHS OVER CAMBRIDGE

DARK BLUE CREW WINS BY
OVER THREE LENGTHS

NEW RECORD FOR COURSE

The Time, 19 Minutes and 30 Sec-
onds, is 1 Minute and 3 Seconds
Below Previous Record

LONDON, April 3.—Upsetting the predictions of the experts, the dark blue of Oxford finished three and one-half lengths ahead of the light blue of Cambridge today in the annual race on the historical Thames, from Putney to Mort Lake, a distance of about 4 1/4 miles.

The race was one of the most exciting in the long history of these dual contests and was witnessed by tens of thousands.

The time was 19 minutes 50 seconds, one minute and three seconds below the record race time for the course, made by Cambridge in 1900.

Cambridge won the toss and chose the Surrey side of the river, giving her a slight advantage.

The starting pistol was fired at 12:30 and with the tide slack, water smooth and but little wind. Stroke Stuart immediately hit up a fast clip and the Cambridge boat shot a quarter of a length to the front.

On the way to Hammersmith bridge, the Oxford boat began to show its power and by the time the bridge was reached, 1 1/4 miles from the start, the two crews were on even terms.

Oxford at this stage seemed to have more reserve strength than the Cambridge rowers. The pace began to tell on Cambridge, however, and Oxford crept slowly ahead, amid deafening cheers from the banks.

After gaining a half length's lead, Oxford lost her advantage by being hindered by one of the spectators' barges. This threw the crew on even terms again, but Oxford, now thoroughly aware of her superiority, fought desperately and at 3 1/4 miles had regained a lead of half a length.

Oxford spurred unexpectedly immediately after passing Barnes bridge and before Cambridge could recover, the dark blue was two lengths ahead. From then on there was nothing to the race but Oxford.

Not a man in the Oxford boat was in the least distressed, while the Cambridge oarsmen were clearly rowed out to the last shred.

The average weight of the crews was: Oxford 176 1/2 pounds; Cambridge, 174 1/2 pounds.

Oxford's victory today mere her thirty-fourth. Cambridge has won twenty-nine times, and one of the races was a dead heat.

SHEPPARD ORDERED TO CUT OUT RACING

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 3.—Melvin Sheppard, champion middle distance runner of the world, and holder of two Olympic records, has probably run his last big race. He received orders today from the collector of the port not to enter any more races if they conflict with his duties as inspector. His duties call for thirteen hours a night, with one night off every two weeks. Sheppard feels sorry but will obey the orders.



Illustrating the Swagger
Young Men's Model
as conceived by

Hart, Schaffner and
Marx,

as shown by

The Continental,
The Home of Hart, Schaffner
and Marx Clothes.

CHICAGO ATHLETES CAPTURE BIG MEET

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 3.—Athletes representing the Chicago Athletic association captured the largest number of points in the most successful indoor track meet in the history of the Kansas City Athletic club.

The Chicagoans won three firsts and two seconds—firsts in the two mile handicap, the pole vault and the 440 yard halfpint; and seconds in the invitation 50 yard dash and the invitation half mile run.

The one mile race for the championship of the western division of the A. A. U., the feature race of the meet, was won by A. P. Berkstrasser, a "darkhorse" from Morningside college. His time was 5:08.

Cornell, the St. Louis sprinter, slipped one over on Taylor, the star of Delaney's squad. In the invitation 50 yard dash. His time was :05.2-5.

SWEPT OVER NIAGARA

This terrible calamity often happens because a careless boatman ignores the river's warnings—growing ripples and faster current—Nature's warnings are kind. That dull pain or ache in the back warns you the kidneys need attention if you would escape fatal maladies—Dropsy, Diabetes or Bright's Disease. Take Electric Bitters at once and see Backache fly and all your best feelings return. "After long suffering from weak kidneys and lame back one \$1.00 bottle wholly cured me," writes J. R. Blankenship of Belk, Tenn. Only 50c at O. T. Erhart's.

WESTON NOW LEADS CHAMPION HUESTON

CHICAGO, April 3.—Playing in the form of his career, Cowboy Chas. Weston again triumphed over Champion Thomas A. Hueston, winning the third block of their championship 800 ball pool match last night by a score of 218 to 187.

Thus is Weston leading his opponent on the three nights play by a total of 607 to 592.

The final game will be played to-night. Weston needs but 193 balls to win the diamond medal emblematic of the championship and Hueston requiring 208.

After catching the champion, Weston played great pool and piled up a score of 218, leaving the St. Louis expert in the 187 hole.

Both men played brilliantly from start to finish. A big crowd saw the game.

WORDS TO FREEZE THE SOUL

"Your son has Consumption. His case is hopeless." These appalling words were spoken to Geo. E. Blevens, a leading merchant of Springfield, N. C., by two expert doctors—one a lung specialist. Then was shown the wonderful power of Dr. King's New Discovery. "After three weeks use," writes Mr. Blevens, "he was as well as ever. I would not take all the money in the world for what it did for my boy." Infallible for Coughs and Colds, its the safest, surest cure of desperate Lung diseases on earth. 50c and \$1.00. O. T. Erhart guarantees satisfaction. Trial bottle free.

MORNINGSTAR WINS BILLIARD TOURNEY

NEW YORK, April 3.—Ora C. Morningstar, the New York expert, is today the undisputed 18.2 billiard champion. In the tournament which ended last night Morningstar finished with an unbroken string of six victories.

Geo. B. Sutton, of Chicago, finished with five victories and one defeat; Geo. Slosson and Albert G. Cutler, of Boston, tied for fourth place with three victories and three defeats. Louis Cure, the Frenchman, finished fifth with two victories and four defeats. Calvin Demarest, the former amateur champion, and Harry P. Cline, brought up the last positions with one victory and five defeats.

BILLING'S STABLES LEAVE FOR EUROPE

NEW YORK, April 3.—For a campaign on the trotting tracks of Europe, nine high class trotters, the stable of C. K. G. Billings, left for Hamburg today on the steamer Patricia.

The stable will go to Berlin, after which the various trotting meetings in Europe will be visited, including St. Petersburg, Buda Pest, Vienna and London.

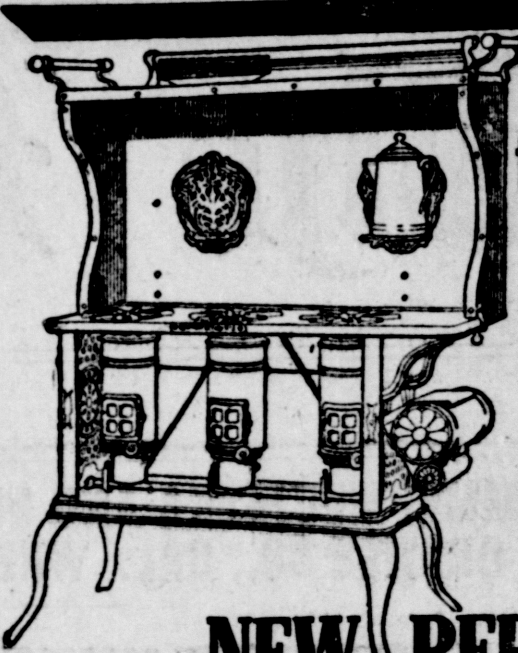
Included in the string are the famous Lou Dillon, W. J. Lewis, Tempus Fugit, Turley and Berta Mack. Trainer Charlie Turner was in charge.

CAPONI WANTS BOUT WITH JIM CORBETT

CHICAGO, April 3.—If Jim Corbett wants to get a little practice during his preparation for that proposed fight with Jack Johnson, he can accept the challenge of Tony Caponi, the local Italian. Cal Caponi, his brother, issued his principal's defi today, after receiving an offer today from a Tennessee promoter for the match. Caponi offers to make a side bet of \$1,000. Corbett, who is playing here, so far has made no reply.

WALSH WILL JOIN CHICAGO WHITE SOX

CHICAGO, April 3.—Big Ed Walsh, the famous spitball pitcher, is to join his old teammates, the White Sox, according to word received here from Manager Billy Sullivan's squad, who are at Fort Worth. Walsh, it is said, will join the team on April 10 and be ready to pitch the first game of the season.



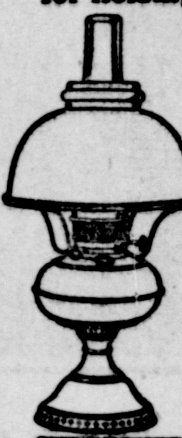
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All the necessary family cooking may be done as well on a New Perfection Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove as on the best coal or wood range.

By using the "New Perfection" Oil Stove, the annoyance of an overheated and stuffy kitchen is entirely avoided, even in midsummer. The scientific construction of the

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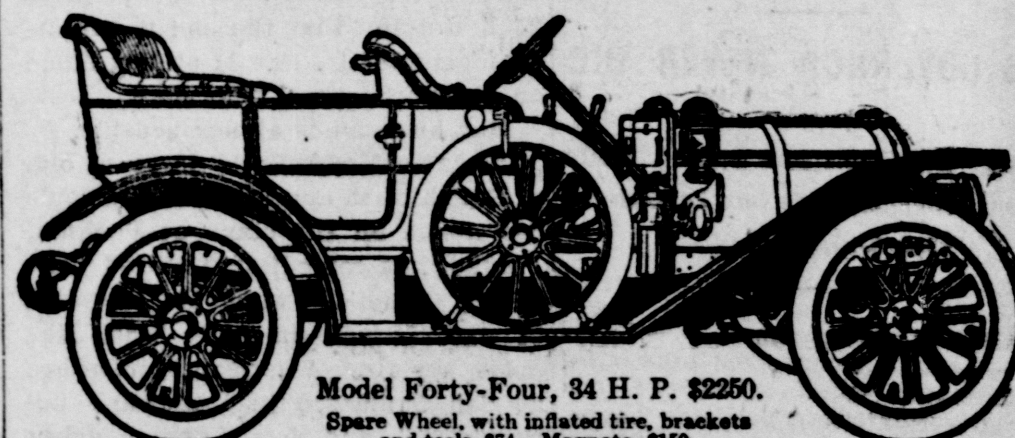
ensures quick work and a cool kitchen. The "New Perfection" has a substantial CABINET TOP for warming plates and keeping food hot after it is cooked. Also drop shelves on which to set small cooking utensils—every convenience, even to bars for holding towels.



Made in three sizes. Can be had either with or without Cabinet Top. If not at your dealer's, write our nearest agency.

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Sworn Detailed Circulation for the
Month of March, 1909.

Our March Daily
Average was **7,167**

1—Mon	7,227	17—Wed	7,139
2—Tues	7,214	18—Thurs	7,122
3—Wed	7,211	19—Fri	7,137
4—Thurs	7,183	20—Sat	7,127
5—Fri	7,183	21—Sunday	
6—Sat	7,183	22—Mon	7,189
7—Sunday		23—Tues	7,127
8—Mon	7,187	24—Wed	7,186
9—Tues	7,139	25—Thurs	7,112
10—Wed	7,163	26—Fri	7,509
11—Thurs	7,137	27—Sat	7,128
12—Fri	7,138	28—Sunday	
13—Sat	7,139	29—Mon	7,122
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number of copies of the paper nam-
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month of March, 1909, was as
above stated.

Frank H. Burgess

Subscribed and sworn to before
me this thirty-first day of March,
1909.

A. E. BLECKMAN,
Notary Public.

WEEK END ELECTION GOSSIP

The week end interest in the city
campaign centers largely in what Dr.
Anderson may have to say at the
Concordia meeting tonight. This is
not primarily due to the position he
takes there as champion of the alder-
manic candidacy of Alderman "Gus".
Keller. It is quite natural that Dr.
Anderson should want to reward so
faithful an alderman as Mr. Keller
has been with his personal support,
but with Capt. B. C. Smith as the
opposing candidate, there is no
chance for unsatisfactory represen-
tation in the council from the First
ward. The real interest in the meet-
ing is focused upon what Dr. Ander-
son may say about the mayoralty
candidates—whether he will endorse
Mr. Sorensen with vigor, or in a per-
functory way, if at all—and what he
will say regarding issues. It is ex-
pected that the mayor will pay par-
ticular attention to the tax question,
which has been somewhat twisted
and confused by the adroit debaters
on Mr. Bleckman's staff. Whether
Dr. Anderson will refer to the mat-
ter of his own experience with the
democracy, and his one-time tenta-
tive attitude toward a non-partisan
nomination, is also a matter delicious
to ruminate upon.

There are three days beside elec-
tion day upon which attention of
voters may be fixed with profitable
interest. They are: Day, the man of
ability; Day, the man of experience;
Day, the union man.

Anyone who talks to James T. Day
is at once impressed with the keen
intelligence of the man. Efficiency
and self-reliance outcrop in every
feature. His record as a builder, his
standing on the eligible list of the
state board of control, his self-made
prominence—these attest eloquently
the ABILITY of the man.

Through a course of years in the
prime of his manhood Mr. Day has
employed his time in superintending
construction work of a large order.
In every instance he has achieved
success, and every performance has
added to his efficiency, until today
he presents the recommendations of
eminent authorities as a building and

general construction work superin-
tendent. He is an eminently qualified
man, the fruit of his own EXPERI-
ENCE.

The ultimate result of attempts to
injure Mr. Day with union men has
been to emphasize a fact that other-
wise the public might have overlook-
ed, the fact that Mr. Day is in good
standing, paid in full, with the union
in which in former years he was an
active member. There are not
many men who, having reached a
point in which union membership is
no longer directly profitable to them,
have kept up their dues and main-
tained their standing as union men.
The records show that James T. Day
is a member of the bricklayers UN-
ION, in good standing.

This is the man for whom taxpay-
ers who are interested in the election
of proper officials to superintend the
expenditure of large sums taken from
the city treasury have a chance to
vote. A man of EXPERIENCE, a man
of ABILITY, a UNION MAN.

Mr. Gelatt congratulates the pub-
lic upon the fact that we are having
a campaign devoid of acrimony. To
this end he is contributing plattitu-
dinally, supporting Dr. Suter in the
morning in his Chronicle, and Ori Sor-
ensen in the evening in his Leader-
Press. However, Mr. Gelatt should
not too soon felicitate with the voters
upon the peaceful status. Should he
happen when going home from the
Chronicle some morning to meet
himself coming down to the Leader-
Press, he might be led into a heated
argument with himself over the is-
sues, and thus by a chance meeting
the reign of harmony might be super-
seded by the bitterness of political
strife.

Standing in front of a dwelling
watching the fire that was consum-
ing the barn and contents owned by
Carl Hanson, candidate for board of
public works, a gentleman heard the
mistress of the house say:
"Can there be no end to the mis-
fortunes of Mr. Hanson?"

This led him to inquiry, and a fact
developed that never could have been
wrought from Carl Hanson's lips. Mr.
Hanson has been the victim of a
chain of personal misfortunes which
culminated a week ago in the re-
moval of Mrs. Hanson to the hospital
suffering from a dangerous illness,
and in the burning of his barn and
other property last evening.

With fine courage Mr. Hanson re-
fuses today to discuss the tricks fate
has played upon him, turning back
resolutely to his canvass for the of-
fice he seeks and his proficiency in
which he proved during the first ad-
ministration of Dr. Anderson when
the greatest public improvement
movement in the history of La Crosse
was started.

"I hope fate may reform and re-
verse the tables on Mr. Hanson by
giving him this election; he needs it,"
said the gentleman to the sympathet-
ic lady who had shown herself a good
neighbor by extolling the virtues of
Mr. Hanson.

With the energies of Harry Pal-
mer and F. E. Withrow enlisted to
secure his defeat, with the Palmer
Marching club "agin" him unalter-
ably, John E. Swan may at moments
feel that he carries a heavy handi-
cap in his race with,

"Yours for life,
"Jos. M. Sieger."

However, it may chance that in
his optimistic moods Mr. Swan may
figure that adversity is a stepping
stone to victory. Thus far it has not
occurred to him to publish a card of
thanks, but his intimate friends whis-
per knowingly that all John fears is
that the nature of his opposition
may not be advertised as widely as
his interests demand.

The democratic party is not popu-
larly supposed to be shy on mules,
but locally it may be in need of some-
thing more active than the emblem-
atic donkey gambled to finish an un-
erring second in the national race
course. This is suggested by a story
which, braving the possibility of an-
noying several estimable gentlemen
glued to certain chairs in the city
hall, we hereafter repeat:

"That mule," said the old farm-
er, "is what I call a 'missionary
mule,' an' I'll tell you why. The
last time the sheriff come to
levy on that mule the critter
kicked him 'cross the county
line, whar they wuz holdin' a
campmeetin' an' I'm blest if the
sheriff didn't get religion an'
quit runnin' for office—which
wuz uncommon hard to do, see-
in' that the office habit run in
his blood."

Yassir, what La Crosse democrats
need to beat the band is a double-
barreled missionary mule, and a
convenient camp-meeting.

If there is one man among the
"life-termers" who has for his jus-
tification the fact that he has deliv-
ered the goods, that man is Joseph
Frisch. Mr. Frisch has been an ex-
ceptionally competent official, and
is a clean and wholesome gentleman.
It is certain that his re-election

CATARRH DESTROYED
MY APPETITE.

PERUNA rarely fails to restore the
appetite. Immediately upon begin-
ning the use of Peruna patients begin
to eat and digest. This is the universal
testimony, coming from all parts of the
civilized world.

Catarrh is a very frequent cause of
loss of appetite and disturbed diges-
tion. The beneficial influence of Perun
on catarrh completely restores the app-
etite in such cases.

To prod the digestive organs with
medicines that are merely stimulants is
a poor way to remedy such cases.

"I am now cured and cheer-
ful in spirits, all through the
agency of Peruna, which has
cured me effectually and restored
my appetite."

"My only regret is that I did
not use Peruna sooner and I
would have avoided all my pre-
vious suffering and misery."
—Mr. Joseph H. Conlan.

Removed Catarrh, Restored Appetite.

Mr. Joseph H. Conlan, 487 7th Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., writes:
"I suffered from catarrh which completely destroyed my appetite and
weakened my entire system."

"I am now cured and cheerful in spirits, all through the agency of Peru-
na, which has cured me effectually and restored my appetite."

"My only regret is that I did not use Peruna sooner and I would have
avoided all my previous suffering and misery."

Torpil Liver, Stomach Trouble.

Mr. James O'Byrne, 625 Madison St.,
Topeka, Kas., conductor Santa Fe Rail-
way and member Order of Railway Con-
ductors, writes:

"I suffered with a torpid liver and
stomach trouble, which made my com-
plexion very sallow, and I felt misera-
ble and tired all the time."

"An aunt wrote me that she was tak-
ing Peruna with such good results that
she advised me to try it, and I finally
bought a bottle, although I disliked to
take patent medicines."

"However, I found Peruna very agree-
able to take, and effective, as I felt bet-
ter in a week. I took only five bottles
in all and I found that was all I needed."

"I am most grateful to you for what
your medicine has done for me."

Dysentery Entirely Relieved.

Mr. W. N. Casey, Leamington, Ill.,
writes:

"In two weeks after beginning your
treatment I was well. I used nine bot-

would result in good service to the
city, but it must be admitted that
his defeat would not deprive the city
of good service. George H. Hagenah,
the opposing candidate, enters the
race with splendid equipment in both
ability and experience, and it must
be added that he is a temperate and
gentle citizen worthy in every way
to become the recipient of public
office.

News from the towns and villages
indicates that B. F. Oltman is mak-
ing uninterrupted progress in his
campaign for re-election as superin-
tendent of the county schools. This
is well, as there are no more satis-
factory educators in this section than
Mr. Oltman has proved himself to
be. Recognition of his capacity
came to him recently through his
election as president of the western
Wisconsin Teachers' association, an
office he now holds. He has given
La Crosse county admirable service,
and his retention in office is a mat-
ter of sound business judgment.

DAVIDSON'S COLLAPSE.

The people of Wisconsin were sur-
prised, shocked, yesterday at the
revelations made by State Game
Warden Stone before the senatorial
investigating committee, and the
shock shocked the political prestige
of Governor James O. Davidson into
a disastrous chaos.

Stone swore he save the governor
\$1,200 to be used in his (the govern-
or's) campaign. He (Stone) re-
ferred to this money as being a
"contribution" from the deputy game
wardens, but he admitted in answer
to the next question that the "con-
tribution" was made AFTER he
(Stone) had received that elusive
\$2,500 from Isaac Stephenson.

Stone said the governor did not
know, so far as he knew, where the
money came from excepting that he
(Stone) handed it to him. But the
governor later DID know that Stone
got \$2,500 from Stephenson, that he
failed on the stand to account for it,
and that his accounting for even a
portion of it was vitiated by misrep-
resentations made under oath.

Why did not the governor take the
stand and denounce Stone's testi-
mony as false? Why did he not ask
for Stone's resignation? How is he
going to longer make his pretension
that he was not allied with Stephe-
nson stand up?

And, by the way, how much of
that "contribution" to Davidson does
one suppose George Kingley "chip-
ped in?"

Truly, Isaac Stephenson has gone
to the senate—at least temporarily—
over the political corpses of his
campaign associates.

ties of Peruna. My case was bowel
trouble or dysentery.

"I also tried Peruna for a cough, ac-
cording to directions, and it exceeds any
cough syrup I ever used."
"I wish every one afflicted would give
Peruna a trial."

Pe-ru-na as a Tonic.

Capt. R. B. Smith, Greensboro, Ga.,
writes:

"After using several bottles of Peru-
na I can recommend it as one of the best
catarrh medicines on the market. As a
tonic it has no equal."

"Peruna is all that is claimed for it."

Catarrh of Stomach.

Mr. Henry Neely, First Lieutenant,
Co. "F," 8th Regiment, O. V. I., Box
623, Trenton, Mo., writes: "I suffered
for years with catarrh of the stomach.
Seeing an advertisement of Peruna, I
bought a bottle and every dose made me
feel better. Seven bottles completely
cured me."

"LEN" LOTTRIDGE LETTERS

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Salem's
Venerable Banker and Journalist,
Furnishes The Tribune a Series
of Intimate Articles From Na-
tion's Capital.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 31.
—The windy part of the tariff re-
vision is just now blowing quite a gale
in the house of representatives and
it looks as if every member is going
to present his views pro and con on
the various features of the great
measure. After ten hours per day
devoted to speechmaking by leaders
of both political parties, the wire-
edge is worn off and interest in fur-
ther consideration is ebbing very
much and it seems certain that the
house must be ready to vote on the
bill before many days.

At the start the democrats attacked
the Payne bill as a whole, but now
are opposing many particular pro-
visions, such as lumber, hides, steel,
sugar, coffee and tea. One of the
bitter contests will be on the propo-
sition to take the tax off tea, coffee,
and lumber, and raise the tariff on
whiskey and tax beer two dollars per
barrel. It is claimed there is no
tax so easily paid and so little felt as
that on tobacco, beer and whiskey,
and I predict these commodities will
get a good raise in the pending bill.

I have talked with several lumber-
men who are heavily interested and
they say they do not care whether
lumber is put on the free list or not.
One gentleman who has a mill in
Canada that cuts over forty millions
per year, said he did not ship a foot
of lumber into the United States, and
the general opinion is that our gov-
ernment would realize but a small
income by way of duty, and the trend
seems to be for free lumber.

The most most clamorous for the
tariff are those who own large tracts
of standing pine and want to sell
stumpage.

A few days ago Congressman Boyd
of Mississippi and Congressman
Fordney of Michigan got into an al-
tercation over the tariff. Boyd being
for free lumber and Fordney, who
is a member of the Weyerhaeuser
syndicate, for two dollars per thou-
sand feet. The debate became hot
and exciting until in the heat of pas-
sion the gentleman from Mississippi
rushed at the Michigan member with
fists doubled up ready to strike a
blow, but was caught by a colleague
who nearly tore his coat off of him
trying to hold him and stopped the
affray. Fordney, who has been an
active worker in the lumber woods,
looked quite calmly at his opponent,
but stood ready for the attack. A
member told me that Fordney was
a powerful man and could whip most
any man in the capitol, and that the
Indian halfbreed would have been
put into four weeks' quarantine in
less than five minutes.

The southern states are divided.
Some states having large timber for-
ests want a tariff, while others with
but small timber interests demand
free lumber, and the contest over

(Continued on page 3.)

QUIPS AND CRANKS
AND WANTON WILES

His Future.
Quick and hair-triggerous.
Joyous and vigorous.
Home from the niggerous,
African shore.
Bringing a zoo with him,
Zebra and gun with him!
What shall we do with him—
Our Theodore?

What new renown for him?
Pick out a gown for him—
Buy up a crown for him,
Make him a king?
Make him an editor?
What a competitor!
Who was it said it or
Fancied the thing?)

No sweet manorial,
Grave professorial,
Staid senatorial
Honors will do.
Give him the Stick again,
Freedom to kick again,
Raise the Old Nick again!
"Whoop!" and "Hurroo!"

Railroad commissioner?
Graft abolitionner?
High politician?
Farm autocrat?
Nature mythologist?
Trust criminologist?
Universologist?
Something like that?

Do you admire him?
Would you inspire him?
Do you desire him?
Laid on the shelf?
Peace to your patterer,
Scolding or flattering,
Building or battering,
He'll run himself.
—A. Gulterman, Collier's Weekly.
Too Much Red Blood.

"A party of easterners went bear
hunting in California. Pete Wilson
led the party, and day and night he
boasted of his skill as a bear killer.
They got no bear on the hunt and
Pete grieved terribly.

"This is good enough grub," he
would say, as he pitched into a cold
can of preserved meat, "but the finest
meal in the world, in my opinion,
is a bear steak, grilled to a turn over
a log fire."

"Gimme bear," Peter growled one
day, "gimme a good bear brile. I'm
gettin' sick of this canned stuff."

"Look out!" cried a neighbor. It
was a bear, sure enough. He turned
very pale and bounded off into the
woods.

"We thought you liked bear?"
they said, sarcastically, to him on his
return.

"So I do," said Pete, "but that
fellow wasn't well enough done."
—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Slow Service.
Westend—Let's go in here and
have something to eat.
Murray hill—But I'm not hungry.
Westend—You will be by the time
the waiter brings the order. — New
York Herald.

Not True to Nature
Clerk—Mrs. Van Aster complains
that her photographs don't look like
her.

Photographer—Complains! She
ought to be grateful!—New York
Herald.

Intruder Among the War Dogs.

Prof. William Lyon Phelps of Yale
went to West Point last fall to lec-
ture. He was lecturing in the chapel,
the cadets were rigidly paying at-
tention, erect, eyes front, each man
a ramrod of military etiquette. An
Irish setter entered the chapel door
and ambled sniffing down the aisle
and up on to the platform. The ca-
dets squirmed under the eagle eyes
of their officers but not a man smil-
ed. "Billy" noticed the strain. He
looked down at the dog wagging its
tail benevolently on the rostrum.
"What! How's thos?" said Prof.
Phelps. "A setter? Why, I expected
to see nothing but West Pointers up
here."—Yale Alumni Weekly.

The maid-of-all-work in the service
of a Fottsville family, the members
whereof are not on the most amiable
of terms, recently tendered her resig-
nation, much to the distress of the
lady of the house, who was loath
to part with so excellent a servant.

"So you are going to leave us?"
asked the mistress, sadly. "What's
the matter, Mary? Haven't we al-
ways treated you like one of the
family?"

"Yis, mum," said Mary, "an' I've
sthood it as long as I'm going to!"
—Harper's Weekly.

SPRINGTIME ILLS

can be very easily avoided
if you will only cleanse
the system of winter im-
purities and keep the
stomach and liver active
by taking a short course of

HOSTETTER'S
CELEBRATED
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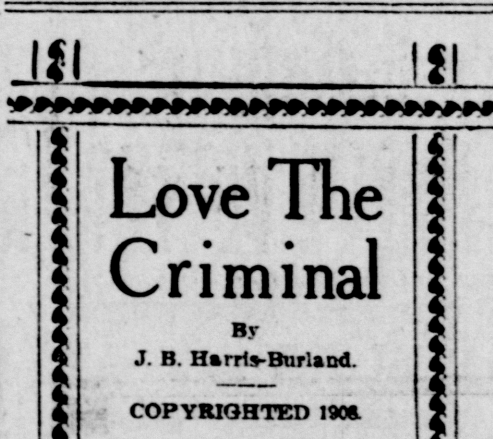
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Alum is a metallic acid of well known injurious prop-
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By
J. B. Harris-Buriald.
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It was clear from the luxury of
her surroundings and the costly sim-
plicity of her dress that she had
made what many women would have
considered a good match. William
Tankerlane had a splendid allow-
ance from his father, and, being
himself a man of simple tastes, and
with no bent towards any of the
meaner vices of life, he was able to
lavish his wealth on his wife with
an open hand.

It was a glorious morning in May,
a month in which Paris is seen at
its best. Outside the window the
double lines of trees looked green
and cool in the bright sunshine.
Easy-going flaneurs of the boule-
vards loitered in the shade, and chat-
tered to one another with untiring
vivacity. Streams of pedestrians,
bent either on business or pleasure,
passed to and fro unceasingly. Ev-
erywhere there was life and move-
ment, and endless flow of good hu-
mour and serene content.

Slowly and deliberately Laura
took up an envelope and addressed
it to "Samuel Vane, Esq., Upper
Leaze Farm, Laverstone," and then
she laid down the pen, and again
stared out of the window.

She had resolved, in direct de-
fiance of her husband's wishes, to
write to her father. From the day
after she left Laverstone, and never
arrived at Mrs. Tolby's house, Sam
Vane had not heard a word of his
daughter that was lost to him. On
the day following her departure he
received two letters, one from his
sister asking why Laura Vane had
not arrived, and one from the girl
herself, which ran as follows:

"Dearest Father,—For reasons I
cannot explain to you, I have not
gone to Aunt Jane's, and shall not
return to Laverstone. Do not worry
about me. Be assured that I have
come, and shall come, to no harm.
Forgive me for this step, which has
been forced upon me. God bless,
and guard you, dearest, is ever the
earnest prayer of your loving daugh-
ter."
"Laurie."

And this message, which was
hardly calculated to allay a father's
anxiety, was all that Sam Vane had
heard from his missing daughter.

But now, at last, she had resolved
to break the silence. Day after day
she had been tortured with the
thought of her father's loneliness
and despair. She had pictured him
in his lonely home that had been
left unto him desolate. An old man,
broken-hearted, vainly crying out to
God for her return. Again and
again she had implored her husband
to let her write, and he had refused,
gently, but with firmness. William
Tankerlane, in spite of all his sin,
had been very kind to her, and she
wished to obey him. But at last she
had resolved to write, and could not
frame the sentences which meant so
much to her.

Once more she dipped her pen in
the ink, and wrote her name on a
slip of blotting-paper.

Then she heard the sound of
steps and voices in the passage out-
side. She looked hurriedly at the
clock, drew the envelope in half,
threw the pieces into the waste-
paper basket under the table, and rose
to her feet.

A moment later the door opened,
and William Tankerlane entered,
accompanied by a short, fair-haired
young man, exquisitely dressed and
groomed.

"Laura," said her husband, as he
thrust forward

THE COMPLETE NEWS OF THE NORTH SIDE TODAY

HEAVEN

"WHERE AND WHAT IS IT?"

TOMORROW NIGHT--FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
KING AND 8TH STREETS.

THREE RESULTS OF BEING SAVED BY CHRIST

MONDAY, APRIL 5--"THE MOST GRACIOUS WORD"

TUESDAY, APRIL 6--"THE GREATEST REVOLUTION"

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 7--"THE HIGHEST HONOR"

HOW DO WE KNOW SALVATION WHEN WE GET IT?

THURSDAY, APRIL 8--"GOD'S PART IN THE ANSWER"

FRIDAY, APRIL 9--"AND OUR PART."

PASSION WEEK---CHRIST DIED FOR YOU,
WILL YOU LIVE FOR HIM?

PREPARE TO MEET THY GOD--AND DO IT NOW.

C. H. BAKER LEADS THE SONG SERVICE AT 7:30.

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FROM THIS OFFICE

ALLEGED ROBBER CAPTURED HERE

HERMAN FINNINGER WANTED
FOR LA CRESCENT ROBBERY

LAYMAN'S HOME IS ROBBED

Bulk of the \$140 Taken is Found on
Prisoner Here and He Will be
Tried at Caledonia

While purchasing a drink in the saloon of Edmund Johnston, 424 Mill street, a stranger giving his name as Herman Finninger was arrested by Officers Taylor and Deneen and taken to the central station, charged with robbing the house of a farmer by the name of Layman in the vicinity of La Crescent.

Mr. Layman had attended a funeral in the afternoon and upon his return, discovered that his home had been broken into and upon investigating he found that the sum of \$140 had been stolen. Suspicion immediately fell upon a stranger who had been seen in that vicinity for some time and as he had boarded the Milwaukee train on the Southern Minnesota the police at La Crosse were wired to be on the lookout for him. About 2 o'clock, a stranger answering the description of the burglar was seen in the saloon of Mr. Johnston and immediately was placed under arrest by Officers Taylor and Deneen and brought to the central station where during the search the greater amount of the money was found in his clothing. The man gave his name as Herman Finninger. He spoke badly broken English and is evidently a foreigner.

After an investigation which indicated he was the guilty party, he was taken back to Caledonia, where he will be tried by the authorities.

NORTH SIDE IN BRIEF

Mrs. Anton Gergersen of 1616 Kane street returned from Rockland where she had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Andrew Olson.

Mrs. E. Hughes and daughter, who were here to attend the funeral of Francois Keaveny, have returned to their home at Reedsville, Wis.

Mrs. Chas. Whiting and sons, 927 Caledonia street, left at noon for several days' visit with relatives at Merrill, Wis.

Mrs. W. A. Ellison, 1448 Wood street, has been called to Grand Rapids, Wis., on account of the serious illness of her father, W. Downing.

"Uncle Charlie" Perry 92 Years Young



MR. S. C. PERRY, Age 92.

Mr. Samuel Charles Perry, of Lockport, N. Y., who is 92 years old and a bachelor, retains all his faculties to a remarkable degree. He is as active and vigorous as he was twenty years ago. Recently, when celebrating his 92d birthday, he entertained his friends by playing on the violin, which he has owned for over sixty years, many old-time pieces.

For many years Mr. Perry has been prominent in business and politics.

In his old age he finds Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey indispensable, and the only medicine to which his vigor is due; he says that it has no equal.

Mr. Perry writes: "The vitality and usefulness of my powers, which I have preserved through a long life up to the age of ninety-two, I attribute partly to moderation in all things, partly to an indisposition to worry and partly to my natural abhorrence of all kinds of drugs."

"In my extreme old age I am exercising the same discretion, with but the one exception that I find Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey an indispensable medicine. As a tonic and general preserver of health in old age I believe that it has no equal."

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Mr. Perry's case is similar to that of thousands of others, both aged men and women, who have been kept hale, hearty and vigorous by the constant use of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey as a medicine. It is a predigested food which has a stimulating and tonic effect upon the system. It builds nerve tissues, prevents decay and keeps the entire system in a normal, healthy condition.

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If you wish to keep young, strong and vigorous and have on your cheeks the glow of perfect health, take Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, regularly, according to direction. It tones and strengthens the heart action and purifies the entire system. It is recognized as a family medicine everywhere.

CAUTION--When you ask your druggist, grocer or dealer for Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey be sure you get the genuine. It's the only absolutely pure medicinal malt whiskey and is sold in sealed bottles only; never in bulk. Price \$1.00. Look for the trade-mark, the "Old Chemist," on the label, and make sure the seal over the cork is unbroken. Write Consulting Physician, Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y., for a free illustrated medical booklet and free advice.

DEBATERS DECIDE

SALARY FOR MAYOR

The Tenth Ward Athletic association held their weekly debate last night. The question, "Resolved, that the mayor should receive a salary," after a heated discussion was won by the affirmative, the judges returning a unanimous verdict. The affirmative was debated by Harry Marshall, Clement Felzer and Clarence Knapp while the negative was represented by Harry Robinson, Fred Rouse and Thomas Knight.

MARSHALL WINS

SCHOOL ORATORICAL

After the most interesting oratorical ever heard at the Tenth Ward school the judges consisting of Supt. Bird, Mr. Berry and Miss Rollins awarded first place to Harry Marshall all with the selection, "Massachu-

setts and South Carolina." Second place was awarded to Clesson Wiles. These two young men will represent the Tenth ward school at the contest which will be held at the high school April 15th. This contest will be between two representatives of every school in the city.

BOY DISMISSED

FROM CUSTODY

Leon Arnsow, the boy who was charged with cutting the tail off a cow in his father's barn at French Island, has been dismissed from custody, as Judge Brindley of the county court did not feel warranted in holding him longer.

It was found that the boy had cut the hair from the cow's tail to prevent it from switching in the boy's face.

IT IS FOR LADIES, TOO.

They Can Stop Their Hair Falling Out With Herpicide.

Ladies who have thin hair and whose hair is falling out, can prevent the hair falling out, and thicken the growth, with Newbro's "Herpicide." Besides, Herpicide is one of the most agreeable hair dressings there is. Herpicide kills the dandruff germ that eats the hair off at the root. After the germ is destroyed, the root will shoot up, and the hair grow long as ever. Even a sample will convince any lady that Newbro's Herpicide is an indispensable toilet requisite. It contains no oil or grease. It will not stain or dye. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Hoeschler Bros., special agents.

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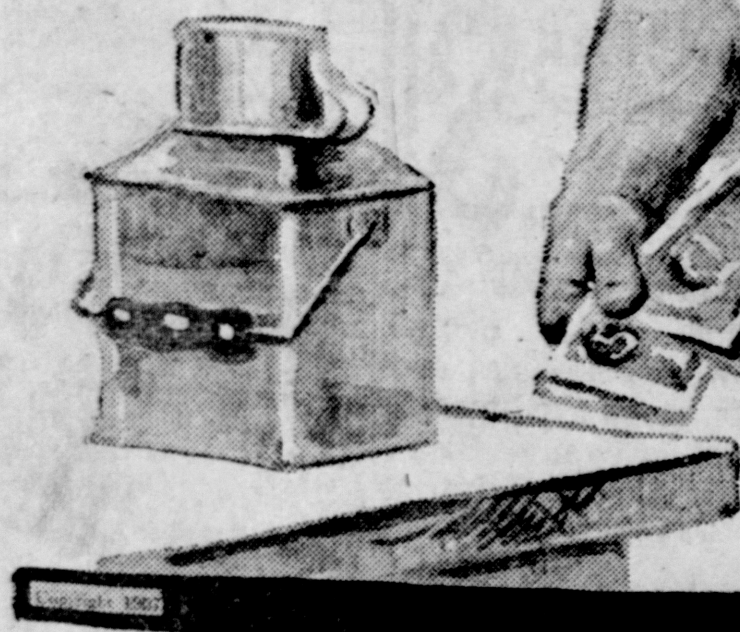
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and the kind you want with the low prices attached. Our easy payment plan will please you. We have terms to suit all conditions, and for the Newly Weds, just making their start, we have some very flattering propositions to offer. Come and let's talk it over and let us figure on your outfit, and then if you don't buy, you are the loser.

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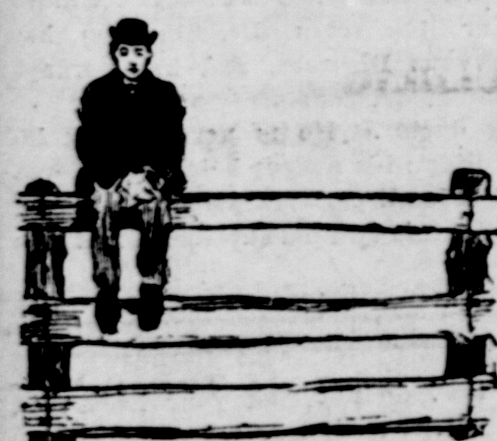
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has sent 10,000 seeds to distribute free to all. Come at once before they are gone. You do not have to buy anything—the seeds are free, so come today.

Three handsome prizes are offered for the product of the seed. Plant the seed now—see our windows for prizes and date of contest.

Royal Cherry Seed is the latest perfume.

Come in and see for yourself.

THE MARINER PHARMACY
425 Main St.

J. E. Keiser, the supervisor of assessments, has received word from his daughter in Bangor announcing the birth of a baby girl Thursday. Mrs. Keiser returned from Bangor yesterday.

PERSONALS

Ford, the car of quality. L. O. Kirmse of West Salem was a business caller in town Wednesday. Ben Wold of Mindoro is receiving medical treatment at one of the city hospitals.

Hilma Ludwig of this city is visiting relatives at Westby. Dr. Will Dowell, diseases of women, Dr. Geo. H. Hansen, Dentist, 312 Pearl street. Hours, 8:30 to 12 a. m.; 1 to 5 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Boiles and Mesdames George McDonald, Deborah Garlich, W. N. Upham and George Wilcox were among the La Crosse callers from West Salem this week.

William Cardes and daughters, Anna and Emma, of New Albin, were La Crosse callers the fore part of the week.

Will Andrews of Meirose transacted business in town Wednesday.

Tom Patterson of North Bend was a business caller in the city Thursday.

The North Side Tribune office, the place to send your news, has moved to 712 Clinton street.

Miss Maggie Young, who has been employed in the city this winter, is enjoying a short vacation at her home at North Bend, Wis.

Fred Von Ruden and D. O. Stevingson of Coon Valley were in the city on business Thursday.

Frank Eagle has returned to his home in Caledonia, after a visit with relatives in the city. He was accompanied by his daughter Mrs. C. J. Paddock.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Ole S. Rude of Westby is celebrating his 60th birthday as a patient at the Lutheran hospital in this city. His son Dolph is also a patient at the same hospital, having undergone an operation for appendicitis.

The revival meetings which are being held in the First Baptist church at Wausau, are being addressed every night this week by Rev. Ayscue of this city.

A marriage license has been taken out by Frank Phillips and Miss Adie Hopkins, both of this city.

REO, \$500 and \$1000. Get-there-and-back, every day in the year, and that's what counts most. Elsen & Knoen, Bangor.

Prof. Arthur Gierle, of Gale college, who has been at one of the hospitals in the city, is reported to be recovering nicely. He was operated on for abscesses on one of his ears.

Hans Jacobs was renominated for the county board without opposition from the town of Shelby.

Hack calls promptly attended to. Phone 179 Gateway City T-r. Line.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Robinson of Grand Meadow, Minn., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Schleiger on Thursday, enroute to Madison.

Obert Sletten was in the city yesterday in the interests of the "Intercollegiate Spectator."

Miss Lulu Berlin of Tomah visited friends in the city the past week.

Mrs. Ellen Irvine of Trempealeau is visiting here this week.

Blanche Gibbs and Stella Brady of Trempealeau were visitors in town the early part of the week.

Mrs. E. Schmuck and little daughter of this city are visiting at the home of J. Schmuck and family at Brice's Prairie this week.

Mrs. Frank Aiken visited relatives at Onalaska Wednesday.

Henry Nebel, formerly a traveling salesman for Martin Bros. of this city, has moved to this city from Prairie du Chien. He will be connected with the Martin Bros. company in the capacity of assistant sales manager. Mr. Nebel will reside at 524 South Sixth street.

Mrs. H. M. Rollins has returned to her home in the city after a visit with Preston friends. She was accompanied by Mrs. Becker, who will visit her for several days.

SOCIETY

APRIL FOOL PARTY

Last Thursday night at her rooms over the Bijou theatre Mrs. Frank Koppberger tendered an April fool party to several of the employees of the Bijou. Miss Leone Bedessen, Charley Larsen and Wm. Freise were the guests. A table loaded with good things to eat was spread. The first course on the bill of fare was the serving of oranges. Charley Larsen, who is particularly fond of the golden fruit, reached out for his, but the confounded things collapsed—there was nothing in it. Each guest suffered the same fate and on a closer inspection a strip of paper was discovered bearing the legend, "April Fool." This was the first intimation the party had of the real purpose of the affair. Many other surprises were pulled off on the guests to their delight and appreciation. Mrs. Koppberger made a charming Lady Bountiful and the party was a great success.

SEWING CLUB

Tuesday evening Miss Elizabeth Davis entertained the Juanita Sewing club at her home on South Sixteenth street. After the sewing had been laid aside a musical program was rendered. Delicious refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Anna Dockendorff.

THIMBLE PARTY

Regular thimble parties seem to be in progress at the Stoddard Hotel. Miss Heinrich is going abroad in a few weeks and to clean out her trunks will sell soiled stamped pieces, Monday and Tuesday, at half price.

MUSICAL SUCCESSFUL

The musicale held in the West Avenue Methodist church Thursday evening was one of the rare treats of the season. Both local and outside talent vied for honors before a crowded auditorium.

Among those who participated in the program were Mr. John Bates,

A WOMAN'S BACK

The Aches and Pains Will Disappear if the Advice of This La Crosse Citizen is Followed.

A woman's back has many aches and pains.

Most times 'tis the kidneys' fault. Backache is really kidney ache.

That's why Doan's Kidney Pills cure it.

Many La Crosse women know this.

Read what one has to say about it.

Mrs. Katherine Loth, 421 Vine street, La Crosse, Wis., says: "I cheerfully endorse Doan's Kidney Pills, as I know from personal experience that they are a splendid remedy. Two years ago my back ached almost constantly and I had bearing-down pains in my loins. Being advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills, I procured a box at Erhart's drug store. It was not long before I was entirely free from backache and I give Doan's Kidney Pills the credit."

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Miss Wiebrecht and Miss Leone Verhaag, instrumental; Misses Phoebe Ness, Marie Novak, Grace Wallace, Minerva Bates, Margery Boyce, vocal; also the Wesley male quartette, Messrs. R. Oakes, John Otten, H. Lockman, E. J. Best, Miss Dorothy Love, Miss Charlotte Barthel and Dr. Willard Colman were the readers. The hearers were enthusiastic in their praise.

ENTERTAINED LADIES.

Mrs. John Wagner entertained a few friends Wednesday afternoon in honor of the Mesdames A. Seger and T. Andres, who soon leave for the west. Progressive cinch was played, after which light refreshments were served. Prizes were taken by Mrs. R. L. Ewe and Mrs. A. Seger.

The guests were Mesdames Dr. E. C. Burritt, F. Monti, P. Flanagan, R. L. Ewe, J. McDonald, H. Walter, E. Gautsch, J. Knothe, G. L. Rubert, M. Warren, T. Andres and Thierry.

WOMEN'S CLUB

The La Crosse Women's club met with Mrs. Kemper Wednesday.

A very interesting report of the convention at Tomah was given by Mrs. Lueck.

Mrs. Olson gave a paper on "History of the Woman's Movement; Woman's Legal Status in Our State."

E. F. U. MEETING

La Crosse assembly, No. 154, E. F. U., will hold a regular meeting on Thursday evening, April 8th. A class will be initiated and a program rendered consisting of music and speeches by Attorney Wolfe and Dr. Thompson and Dr. Barnett of Neenah. At the close dancing will be indulged in.

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Surprise party. Wednesday evening a number of friends surprised M. W. Warren at the home of his daughter, Mrs. G. L. Rubert, 1217 Johnson street. The occasion being his 63rd birthday. Five hundred was played until a late hour. Mrs. Monti and Mr. Thierry receiving the prizes.

After refreshments were served, several selections were rendered by Mr. Dave Monti on the violin and Mrs. Rubert on the piano. The party broke up at a late hour, after wishing Mr. Warren many happy returns of the day. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames T. Andres, Dr. Barrett, Thierry, J. Wagner, A. Seger, Mrs. Monti and Mr. Dave Monti.

Afternoon companies. Friday afternoon Mrs. Fred Hanchett invited in a few friends to meet Mrs. Clara Tanner. Mrs. Tanner was formerly Miss Clara Servis and lived here all of her life until her marriage, which took place a few years ago.

Mrs. Andrew Lees entertained a few friends this afternoon in her home.

Birthday surprise. Last evening Mrs. E. L. Spicer pleasantly surprised her husband by entertaining a few of her neighbors at bridge in honor of his birthday.

Card parties. Mrs. C. E. Winslow and Mrs. Frank Bailey entertained a farewell party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Savage, who leave next week for Conrad, Montana, where Mr. Savage goes to locate. Nine tables at five hundred were played. The prizes were taken by Mrs. W. E. Barber and Mr. C. C. Looney.

Monday evening Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Holmes of North Seventh street entertained at five hundred in honor of the departure of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Savage. The prizes were taken by Mrs. Leissring, Mr. Frame, Mrs.

Savage and Mr. Viets. The guests were Messrs. and Mesdames E. R. Savage, R. F. Weston, F. A. Viets, Asplin, W. S. Frame, F. D. Miller and E. E. Fries.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. David Wallace announce the engagement of their daughter, Edna May, to Dr. H. Clay Evenson. The wedding will take place Saturday, April 10.

SOCIAL BRIEFS.

Miss Vance Pooler of Onalaska, who has become very proficient as a pianist, was presented with a Steck parlor grand this morning by her mother, purchased from G. Loomis' music store.

Mrs. Clara T. Tanner, nee Miss Clara Servis, and two children of Chicago are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Servis.

Mrs. H. P. Bliss who has been spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Ellis B. Usher in Milwaukee, has returned home.

Mrs. W. E. Sawyer who has been spending a week with friends in Chicago, returned yesterday.

Miss Julia Sprague of Caledonia was the guest of Mrs. William A. Grimes during the week.

Miss Molly Manning of Chicago is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. E. G. Munson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Prescott of Spring Valley are spending a week with friends.

Mrs. John Groff and daughter of St. Joe, Mich., are visiting friends in the city. They will leave Monday for St. Paul and Minneapolis, Mr. Groff being engaged in business in the latter city.

Miss Flora Guenther will entertain the Tuesday Afternoon Embroidery club next week.

The Central W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. L. W. King, 1515 Vine street, next Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Edna Tarbox who has been quite ill for the past two weeks, is convalescing.

LET CONTRACT TODAY FOR WATER MAINS

The contract for about four miles of water main was let by the board of public works yesterday afternoon. James A. Trane submitted the lowest bid which was \$6,000. The other bids were as follows: E. S. Meade, \$6,712.27; T. E. Wooley, \$6,700; O. Swennes, \$6,401.95; Thill & Lapitz, \$6,500; T. H. Inglehart, Chicago, \$6,649.

A penalty of \$25 a day will be imposed if the work is not completed by Aug. 1st. It is expected that the work will keep about 30 men in employment for about three months.

Giraldo

TODAY

Ham Baked in Champagne.

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ROONEY SIGNS KEPPLE OF RACINE

President Rooney of the La Crosse club has secured Ike Keppel from Racine. Keppel is an outfielder and is reputed to be a fast player and a heavy hitter. Played in the St. Louis Trolley league last season.

WHITE STONE HAT PINS

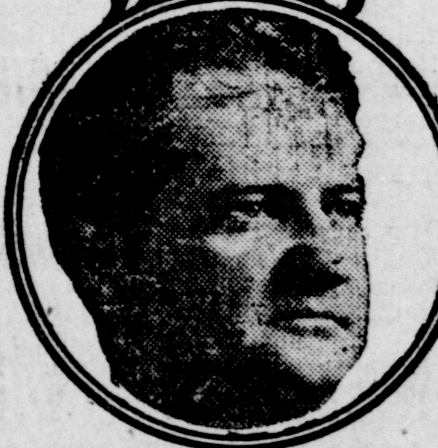
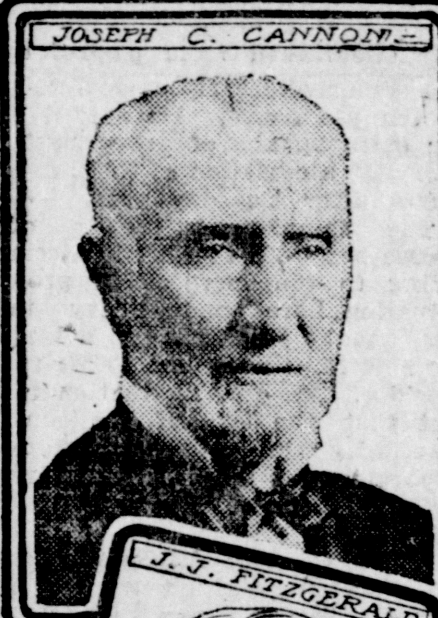
All the latest patterns in these popular hat pins, 60c to \$2.00

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THE PARESIS CLUB

JOSEPH C. CANNON



ROBT. F. BROUSSARD

First member of the "Paresis club" and two of the near members. Read from top down—Uncle Joe Cannon, J. J. Fitzgerald of New York and Mr. Broussard of Louisiana.

"Uncle Joe Cannon must have Paresis." Thus spoke Champ Clark, the minority leader of the house, on the day his hopes were blasted, both as to becoming speaker of the house himself and as to having the rules revised.

Whatever a "Paresis" may be, it is certainly no honor in the mind of the wily Missourian. Just what he actually meant is hard to conjecture. Webster sheds a little light when he defines "Paresis" as incomplete paralysis affecting motion, but not sensation. Certain it is that Uncle Joe affects "motions" in the lower house, and nobody will deny but that there were plenty of sensations turned loose on March 16.

CITY NEWS

CHURCH ENTERTAINMENT—The Brotherhood of Andrew and Phillip will give an entertainment at the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday, at which the ladies will be welcome and for which a fine program has been arranged. The following committee has been appointed: O. J. Asil, F. J. Corry, G. Barrett, C. Bender, E. M. Tufts, W. S. Scullen, L. J. Kilian and Dr. J. W. Hedrick.

BUYS CHILDREN NEW WARM SHOES

Humane Officer Charles H. Berry today marched a procession of five children to the Gaspard Shoe store near the hay market, where they were provided with warm stockings and shoes.

Read The Tribune Want Ads.

"Catchy" Boys' Clothing

Proud parents, who will want to see their boys dressed in their best on Easter Sunday had better come to our "Boys' Shop" tomorrow or any other day.

We display a showing of fine Boys' Clothing without a parallel in the history of La Crosse. The styles are radical departures from previous seasons' productions. The prices are reasonable—much lower than you'd pay for inferior goods elsewhere. Come and see.

\$2.00 to \$10.00

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The Home of H. S. and M. Clothes.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Ayer*The Fair Rates and
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"NEW PHONE"LOOK FOR THE
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Make It The Popular Service.
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EVERY MAN TO HIS TRADE.

Don't tinker with everything about the house. Trying to save a little often the costliest kind of economy. "Phone us when an accident occurs. We will have a man on the way almost before you have closed the conversation.

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In all its branches. If you've poor plumbing in your house tell us to make it right. We overcome the mistakes of others.

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5th & JAY STREET.**-ICE-**

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SUITER ELOQUENT IN CONCORDIA HALL

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The democratic party came into power ten years ago. He scored them for extravagance of the past and promised a cessation of these expenditures after Tuesday next.

The commercial growth of La Crosse has been stunted, he declared, owing to the increase in property valuation here and heavy taxes, which make La Crosse as a location for new industries impossible to the outsider. He called attention to the fact that the city of Madison has practically doubled in population and importance in the last seven years, while La Crosse has been at a standstill.

La Crosse's Advantages.
The commercial advantages however, he declared, are with La Crosse. Beautifully located, with more than a hundred miles to Minneapolis, and unrestricted territory to Dubuque on the south and to Madison on the east; with railway facilities such as few other cities enjoy, there is no reason why this city should not advance, he said.

He spoke of the necessity for arousing the people of La Crosse to the importance of the health plank in the republican platform. The nation and state are showing by their pure food laws and health legislation that this is one of the measures which are necessary to the well being of the people, he said, and the speaker suggested every aid be extended the present health officer, whom he declared is one of the best the city ever had.

Bosshard Reiterates.
Otto Bosshard went over the same ground as the preceding speakers. He declared that taxation was the paramount issue and went into the figures. He pledged the republicans to economy and conservatism. He promised industrial growth. He declared that taxation would be held within the limit in the next two years.

He said that election promises are no longer means of deceiving the voters, but thanks to the influence and teachings of such men as Roosevelt, Governor Folk and others must be respected and kept.

He reviewed the list of candidates, saying a good word for each, and mentioned the name of Bert C. Smith, candidate for alderman in the first ward, in opposition to Gus Keller.

Business Economy.
Mr. Smith was called upon, and responded with a short talk on present issues. He declared that the Smith Manufacturing company, of which he was one of five partners, had spent a week's time figuring to save 2 1/2 cents on a wagon, and that now since it had been accomplished, the firm realizes over \$100 a year from this economy alone.

"This is business," declared Mr. Smith, "and must be followed in city administration as well as in private business in order to insure success to the venture."

"There are only two things that are sure in this world—death and taxes. Our taxes are growing and the city is standing still. Our board of public works has been extravagant when they have let contracts. If you don't think so go down and ask the Roosevelt company. Fetter can tell you something about how they have given work to out of town parties at exorbitant figures. Mayor Anderson would not dare call the investigation before election."

"I am certain that this board of public works is not working for the best interests of the city."

"Now I do not come before you as a pessimist, but we have to take the bull by the horns. Isn't it a fact that if you lay a sidewalk, you pay for the sidewalk and your taxes go on just the same? Is not the same true of street pavement, sewers, water, etc."

"They are extravagant. It was not necessary to have a high priced man come in to tell us that we can have an electric light plant if we want it. And as regards the city's bookkeepers I can say, with all due regard to 'Billy' Fries, that if they cannot do the work, we can furnish one who can."

People past middle life usually have some kidney or bladder disorder that saps the vitality, which is naturally lower in old age. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects urinary troubles, stimulates the kidneys and restores strength and vigor. It cures uric acid troubles by strengthening the kidneys so they will strain out the uric acid that settles in the muscles and joints causing rheumatism. O. T. Erhart.

FUNERAL OF HARRY HINTGEN FRIDAY

The funeral of Harry Hintgen took place Friday afternoon at 2:30 at his home at 1233 West avenue south. The funeral was largely attended by sorrowing friends and relatives who followed him to his last resting place at Oak Grove cemetery. Rev. Julius Gamm officiated.

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Seventeen candidates took the civil service examination today in the postoffice building for positions as clerks and carriers. Assistant Postmaster Charles Looney conducted the examination.

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When 63 Years Old Eye-Balls and Lids Became Terribly Inflamed—Was Unable to Go About—Home Remedies and Professional Treatment were Equally Unsuccessful.

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"About two years ago my eyes got in such a condition that I was unable to go about. They were terribly inflamed, both the balls and lids. I tried home remedies without relief. Then I decided to go to our family physician, but he didn't help them. Then I tried two more of our most prominent physicians, but my eyes grew continually worse. At this time a friend of mine advised me to try Cuticura Ointment, and after using it about one week my eyes were considerably improved and in two weeks they were almost well. They have never given me any trouble since. I was then sixty-three years old and am now sixty-five. I shall never fail to speak a word of praise for the Cuticura Remedies when I have an opportunity, and I trust that this letter may be the means of others being cured. I have been G. B. Halsey, Mouth of Wilson, Grayson Co., Va., Apr. 4, 1908."

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And other itching, burning, bleeding, scaly and crusted skin and scalp humors are instantly relieved, and speedily cured, in the majority of cases, by warm baths with Cuticura Soap, to cleanse the skin, gentle anointings with Cuticura Ointment, purest and sweetest of emollients, to soothe and heal the skin, and mild laxatives, to purify the blood. Guaranteed absolutely pure and may be used from the hour of birth.

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CALL REPUBLICAN CITY TICKET JOKE

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Democrats are re-elected they will close the saloons on Sunday and prohibit Sunday baseball, will be gotten out by the republicans in order to catch votes was the information that Attorney A. C. Wolfe, the next speaker on the program, gave to the assembly. "There is no excuse for the republican ticket," said Mr. Wolfe. "It was not intended by the party leaders that there would be any ticket, but a number of small politicians aspiring for office succeeded in putting a ticket in the field only after much difficulty. Dr. Sulter," said he, "consented to run only after he had been approached a number of times and the republicans found they could get no one else. Not one man on the republican ticket can for one minute bear comparison with the corresponding members of the democratic ticket," he exclaimed. "Dr. Sulter is not in the least acquainted with duties that are connected with the office of mayor. He showed his ignorance of municipal affairs when he stated in one of his speeches that the city's books are in such condition that no statement could be secured from the comptroller. Why the charter of the city of La Crosse provides that the comptroller shall make a report of the city's finances at every council meeting."

In closing Mr. Wolfe named the democratic candidates and each name was received with applause.

DISAPPOINTED OVER DELAY

NAPLES, April 3.—Disappointment is felt today over the delay until Monday morning of the arrival of the Hamburg bearing Col. Roosevelt. The delay has been occasioned by the two stops among the Azores and the one at Gibraltar.

CORPSE IN RIVER.

MADISON, Wis., April 3.—The unidentified body of a man about 50 years old was found floating in the Yahara river today here. No marks of violence were found.

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STEARNS' ELECTRIC PASTE CO., Chicago, Ill.**Parker JEWELER**
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LA CROSSE, WIS.**ASSEMBLY BUNCH IN FEVERISH RUSH TRIES LAST RUSE TO SAVE THE GANG FROM REAL PROBE**

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None of the assembly members objected to the introduction of this testimony.

Davidson's Story.
The Milwaukee Sentinel this morning publishes the following purported interview with Gov. Davidson as to the disposition of the \$1,200 which Game Warden Stone said had been turned over to the governor for his campaign fund. Gov. Davidson's version of the incident is as follows:

"One day Mr. Stone came into my office in the capital and he asked me for an envelope. He then placed a package of currency in the envelope and left it lying on the table. When an explanation of this act was asked of Mr. Stone, he replied: 'Ask me no questions and I will tell you no lies.'"

"He said that he was in a hurry and that he would not have time to make any explanation and he left before he could be further questioned. The package was placed in the vault in the governor's office with the intention of leaving it there until Mr. Stone could be seen again. At the time the incident occurred a number of people were waiting to see me and I had no further opportunity to make immediate investigation."

Placed in Bank.
"Shortly after the money had been left in the office I went out on my campaign of the state, and although I made several attempts to see Mr. Stone, I was unable to do so. Finally after the money had been lying in the office for some time, I decided to place it in a bank, and there it still remains, awaiting Mr. Stone's explanation. The money was not used to help pay my campaign expenses."

"I never asked Mr. Stone for any money, for any campaign contribution or for anything else. I never asked him to raise any fund among the game wardens for my campaign and I knew nothing of it if such a thing was done. I never solicited money from any employees of the state to be used for my campaign fund."

Gov. Davidson had gone to Soldiers Grove earlier in the day to attend the funeral of former Railroad Commissioner Atley Peterson. He will remain at Soldiers Grove, his home, until after election.

A Foolish Interview.

Governor Davidson's interview seems to account for only \$500 of the \$1,200, and offers no explanation as to why he has not secured an explanation from Stone during all these months that have intervened since the primary. It is regarded here as a very foolish interview.

We often wonder how any person can be persuaded into taking anything but Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung trouble. Do not be fooled into accepting 'own make' or other substitutes. The genuine contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. O. T. Erhart.

REPUBLICANS HOLD 2 RALLIES TONIGHT

Republicans will hold two rallies tonight. At Meinert's hall, corner Tenth and Jackson street, Otto Bosshard, James Thompson and Candidate Friend C. Sulter will speak. A. E. Bleekman, Judge Kleeber and O. T. Bosshard will address the voters at Snowplow hall on the Mormon Coulee road.

BABY IS BORN ON GRANNY'S BIRTHDAY

A little girl came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Schaefer, 441 South Third street on Thursday, April 1. The child was born upon the birthday of its grandmother, Elizabeth Krytzinger, who lives at Sandusky, Ohio. The proud father is connected with the La Crosse Baking company.

DECIDE ON PAYNE BILL BY SATURDAY

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 3.—It was decided definitely today by the house leaders that a rule is to be provided Monday providing for a record vote on lumber and hides and setting a day for a final vote on the Payne bill as a whole.

The indications seem to be that next Saturday will be the day chosen for the vote on the passage of the bill.

OLD RAILROADER DEAD.

MADISON, Wis., April 3.—The funeral of J. B. Stickney, the oldest railroad agent in the world, was held at Mazomanie, near here, today, and was attended by many prominent men from all over the country, including President Earling of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul.

CHILDREN HURT IN BLAST

BRADFORD, Pa., April 3.—More than thirty school children are patients at the Bradford hospital today, as the result of a gas well explosion late yesterday on Shrool street. Four men were also badly burned.

LEAVE FOR EAU CLAIRE

John Elliott and Henry Rooney will leave tonight for Eau Claire where they will attend the meeting of the Minnesota-Wisconsin league which is called for Sunday and Monday.

BACK COMBS
We are showing all the latest patterns in backcombs. Finest grade jeweled backcombs, g old mounted, \$1.75, \$2.50, \$3.00 up.
Finest grade hand carved without mountings, 50c, 75c, \$1.00.
Barrettes, 25c, 50c, 75c.
W. T. IRVINE, JEWELER
429 Main St.**FIND MOON BOY AS FATHER SS LURED BY WICKED FIEND**

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in response to a letter from men purporting to be kidnappers of the boy.

The Letter.

The full text of the blackmail letter to Moon follows: "Mr. and Mrs. Luman N. Moon.—These few lines tell you in brief how you can get your boy Harold returned to his home before this week is at the end. The boy will be in the vicinity of this town the rest of the week and I do this at his request, as he is tired of this life and wants to come home. If you do not comply with this, you will not see him soon. This note needs no reply and if you tell any person or make any attempt to arrest you surely will fail to get him alive."

"This is what you are to do: On next Friday night at 8:30 or 9:00 o'clock, you fix it so you can get here at 5:40 p. m. that night. At the time stated, by yourself, go on the street called Walworth to a small park with a cannon in the center. It is east of Hotel Delavan. Put \$500 in the month and return to Hotel Delavan and inside of an hour your boy will be there all O. K. It is all of if you fail to do as asked. Dictated by your son."

The Answer.
Following is the text of the letter left by Moon for the blackmailers in the cannon last night:

"I know, not who you are but if you will have the boy write the names of his brothers and sisters, the name of a book received at his last birthday and who he sleeps with when at home, I will produce the \$5,000 and no questions asked."

Accompanied by Assistant Superintendent Charlesworth of the Pinkerton detective agency, Moon hurried here, anxious to run down any clue that might lead to the recovery of his boy. He expressed his willingness to pay \$5,000 if necessary.

On the advice of the detectives, however, Moon did not deposit the money in the cannon. Instead, he placed there the above letter to the blackmailers asking them to substantiate their statement that they had the boy. If they could do so, the letter stated, they could have the \$5,000 and Moon would make no trouble for them.

Saw and Knew Fellow.

At nightfall detectives concealed themselves in the park at points where they could see the cannon. About 9:20 p. m. they saw a large man steal softly up to the cannon, take out the letter and disappear in the darkness. Acting on instructions from Moon, the detectives made no attempt to follow him, the father fearing that such action might jeopardize the life of his boy. The detectives got a good description of the man, however, and announce that they knew his identity.

Father Leaves; Arrest Soon.

This morning the father received a telegram from Flint announcing that Harold Moon had been found dead. He was broken-hearted at the news and is almost prostrated. He announced his intention of leaving town at once and started to Chicago at 1 p. m.

Asst. Supt. Charlesworth and other detectives remained here to make the arrests which they said would come probably early this afternoon.

TEDDY IN NARROW ESCAPE FROM SEA

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played "The Star Spangled Banner." Mr. Roosevelt at this stood up in his frail craft and waved his hat, while the passengers on the Hamburg cheered.

"He looks like Washington crossing the Delaware," some one remarked.

When the open boat bearing Mr. Roosevelt and the other passengers started back to the Hamburg the seas had become more angry and the wind had increased to a gale. The small boat was in tow of a launch and was bobbing on the waves like a cork.

Drenched by Big Wave.

As the small boat was drawn up to the gang plank it was hurled against the side of the ship, and at the same time a ten-foot wave rolled over the boat.

Mr. Roosevelt was buried to his waist in water, but he waited his chance and made a leap. The first officer waited to receive him and grasped his hand as he came on deck, laughing at the danger.

SPRING SHOOTING BILL WILL PASS

Advices from Madison state that the joint fish and game committee will report the spring shooting bill favorably, allowing 10 days from April 15th to the 25th, and shortening the fall season 10 days, making the closed season from January 1st, to September 20 instead of September 10. This probably means that the spring shooting project will win out. This bill provides for the shooting of blue billed ducks remaining under protection of the game laws applying to the closed season.

LEAVE FOR EAU CLAIRE

John Elliott and Henry Rooney will leave tonight for Eau Claire where they will attend the meeting of the Minnesota-Wisconsin league which is called for Sunday and Monday.

What Ails You?

Do you feel weak, tired, despondent, have frequent headaches, coated tongue, bitter or bad taste in morning, "heart-burn," belching of gas, acid risings in throat after eating, stomach gnaw or burn, foul breath, dizzy spells, poor or variable appetite, nausea at times and kindred symptoms?

If you have any considerable number of the above symptoms you are suffering from biliousness, torpid liver with indigestion, or dyspepsia. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is made up of the most valuable medicinal principles known to medical science for the permanent cure of such abnormal conditions. It is a most efficient liver invigorator, stomach tonic, bowel regulator and nerve strengthener.

The "Golden Medical Discovery" is not a patent medicine or secret nostrum, a full list of its ingredients being printed on its bottle-wrapper and attested under oath. A glance at these will show that it contains no alcohol, or harmful habit-forming drugs. It is a fluid extract made with pure, triple-refined glycerine, of proper strength, from the roots of native American medical forest plants. World's Dispensary Medical Association, Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

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And when you call, he will give you a thorough, complete and searching physical examination FREE OF CHARGE, and his expert opinion and advice will be given you without the slightest obligation on your part.

WHEN OTHERS FAIL

When you have become discouraged, go to Dr. Slightam, as today he is known as one of the most successful specialists in the west.

CHRONIC DISEASES

Require skillful medical treatment for their cure. Dr. Slightam solicits cases that have been pronounced incurable. He does not believe in the knife only as a last resort. For ten years Dr. Slightam has taken up the study of Chronic and Nervous Diseases, and has perhaps the largest practice in this special line in Wisconsin.

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(In the Vacant Store Building just South of the Tribune Office)

Our demonstrator, MRS. HENSEL, will daily, from two o'clock to five o'clock P. M. beginning Monday, April 5th, ending Saturday, April 10th, 1909, exhibit MARVEL dainties and be pleased to answer questions relative to the possibilities of MARVEL Flour.

Light refreshments will be served and between talks on the good things MARVEL Flour will make we will have excellent music.

Come in the afternoon from two to five P. M. any day next week and bring your friends. We want you to know more about MARVEL Flour, what it will do and are taking this way of exhibiting dainties made from MARVEL Flour believing it to be far superior to any flour shipped into La Crosse from outside points. We hope, by showing you bread, cake and pastry made from MARVEL Flour, to convert you into becoming an enthusiastic MARVEL Flour customer. If you already are a user of MARVEL Flour our demonstrator may suggest new possibilities to you. If you are not now a MARVEL Flour customer, we hope you will become such.

This demonstration and entertainment is entirely free.

Yours respectfully,

LISTMAN MILL COMPANY

BRIEF OF THE LIGHT CO. TO THE VOTERS

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maintenance on a producer plant offsets the economy of production.

We especially desire to call your attention to the fact that this company is one of the very few in the country today that is operated by local citizens. It is composed of over forty business men and merchants as stockholders and between twenty-five and fifty local bondholders who are known. During the past eight years these stockholders have expended over \$300,000.00 in extending the service and improving the service and every dollar of earnings and a great deal of additional capital has been added to accomplish this. There has never been one dollar of cash dividend paid to the stockholders during these entire eight years of production.

At the present time we are con-

sidering and in fact have placed orders for a large amount of pipe for extending the gas service to those parts of the city which are unsupplied and which have been compelled to go without this service on account of the expense and loss which the company has sustained through previous competition. The rates for gas and electric current are still the lowest in the state and have only been maintained on account of the large increase in business.

We are endeavoring at the present time to make these extensions and give everyone the service to which they should be entitled without the raising of rates but, if the company is compelled to stand the loss of its entire street lighting plant in addition to the revenue thereon, we will be unable to make these extensions so much desired. We have pipe ordered to run from Seventeenth and Vine to the south end of the city for the purpose of supplying gas on Jackson, Johnson,

Adams, Hood, Farnam and all streets in the south end of the city where there is a constant demand for service. We are also planning to extend the pipes of Wood and Charles and other streets in North La Crosse where there has been a constant demand for gas service and as the law does not permit the city to operate a commercial plant, to cancel these orders and not make these extensions would be an injustice to all those citizens who are yet unsupplied with gas and electric service.

We think these facts will convince you that it is for the best interest of the city and all citizens that this company be allowed to continue the street lighting service and respectfully request that you will use your best efforts to assist in reaching this conclusion.

Yours respectfully,
LA CROSSE GAS & ELECTRIC CO.
By D. G. MacMillan,
President.

CIRCULAR TO CONSUMERS.

To the Gas and Electric Consumers of La Crosse:

At various times during the past seven years decided efforts have been made to promote the idea that the La Crosse Gas & Electric company has been making large profits at the expense of the consumers. Partly for political and partly for personal reasons, this idea has been almost constantly presented to the public until—

The voters of the city are called upon at the coming election to consider the question of establishing a municipal street light plant.

In order to aid everyone to better understand the situation we respectfully submit the following facts:

When the present contract for street lighting was made with this company it was at the lowest rate in the country for this class of service. We now offer to install a new type of lamp which consumes less current and furnish an all night service at ten dollars less per lamp, or \$2,000.00 less per year, than the present service.

If this offer is not acceptable, we are willing to leave the question of price to the railroad commission of Wisconsin, the highest authority on the question of rates in the state.

We wish further to call your attention to the changed condition of operation since 1901 as follows:

Two competing electric plants have increased the interest charges of this company almost 75 per cent; coal has increased in price 37 per cent; labor has increased 40 to 50 per cent; taxes have increased 569 per cent. (In 1900 this company paid \$2,770.00 and in 1908 it paid \$18,590.40 or 1-20th of the entire city taxes and the largest individual amount. During the same period the general taxes of the city have increased only 32 per cent.) During this period the average price charged

for gas has decreased 20 per cent and the average price charged for electricity has decreased 23 1-3 per cent, the present commercial rates being the lowest in the state. These rates can be maintained only by having a larger volume of business.

Therefore, the establishment of a municipal street lighting plant means:

A loss of revenue to this company of \$18,000.00 per year and a waste in plant investment of \$100,000.00;

A loss to the city of \$2,000.00 a year in taxes from this company;

An additional city bonded indebtedness with increase in taxes;

An increase in commercial rates for gas and electricity.

As the entire capital stock of this company is owned by forty business men of La Crosse, we believe that your interests and ours are identical in this matter and respectfully ask you to vote against the building of a municipal street lighting plant.

Very truly yours,
LA CROSSE GAS & ELECTRIC CO.

Nervous Prostration

"I suffered so with Nervous Prostration that I thought there was no use trying to get well. A friend recommended Dr. Miles' Nervine, and although skeptical at first, I soon found myself recovering, and am to-day well."

MRS. D. I. JONES,
5800 Broadway, Cleveland, O.

Much sickness is of nervous origin. It's the nerves that make the heart force the blood through the veins, the lungs take in oxygen, the stomach digest food, the liver secrete bile and the kidneys filter the blood. If any of these organs are weak, it is the fault of the nerves through which they get their strength. Dr. Miles' Nervine is a specific for the nerves. It soothes the irritation and assists in the generation of nerve force. Therefore you can hardly miss it if you take Dr. Miles' Nervine when sick. Get a bottle from your druggist. Take it all according to directions, and if it does not benefit he will return your money.

BRIEF OF ENGINEER CLOOS FOR VOTERS

(Continued from page 1.)

horse-power with one pound of anthracite pea coal costing about \$5.35 per ton at the pumping station.

The amount of coal required per kilowatt at the bus-bars is 1 1/4 lbs. under guarantee, although much better results have been obtained in actual daily service.

It requires 1,392 kilowatt hours per year at the bus-bars.

1,392 K. W. hours at 1 1/4 lbs. of coal, 2,436 lbs.

2,436 lbs. of coal at \$5.35 per ton, \$6.50.

MAINTENANCE.

Energy \$ 6.50

Oil waste, etc. 3.50

Lamp trimming 1.00

Electrode renewals 2.30

Outer globes75

Repairs and inspection 1.00

Rectifier renewals 1.50

Interest 4 per cent (\$37,255) 4.98

Depreciation 6 per cent (\$37,255) 7.47

Taxes lost from La Crosse Gas & Electric Co. 2.10

\$31.00

The above estimate is a fair and conservative one and is in line with every day practice as can be proven by numerous tests and reports from all parts of this country and abroad. And now on file at the office of the consulting engineer. It would be useless to attempt the erection and operation of a isolated municipal lighting plant in competition with the local plant, were it not for the fact that the municipal plant can be operated in conjunction with the waterworks pumping station, with a much greater economy than the former.

The proposition from the local company to furnish light at \$62.50 per lamp per annum is not an unreasonable one, as it costs them (according to their own figures) nearly as much to deliver the goods as they ask for, but this is no reason why the city of La Crosse should pay the local company under a ten year contract \$94,410 more than what the city can do it for.

Total cost per annum for street lighting under proposal from the local company would amount to \$18,750.

Total cost per annum to the city by municipal plant, \$9,300.

Difference in favor of municipal ownership per annum, \$9,450.

Difference in favor of municipal ownership under a ten year contract, \$94,450.

Respectfully submitted,
JACOB CLOOS,
Consulting Engineer.

John Hauser, superintendent of the poor, is sufficiently recovered from smallpox to be removed to his home next Monday.

TO SALUTE HEIR.

THE HAGUE, April 3.—A battery of artillery was today detailed to be in readiness to fire a salute the moment the expected birth of an heir is announced from the palace. This event is now daily expected and is almost the sole topic of discussion throughout the little kingdom.

GET BLACK HAND THUG.

CHICAGO, April 3.—Captain of Detectives O'Brien today ordered a general search of the Italian quarters for members of the black hand society following the arrest of Vincenzo Geraci, on charge of attempting to extort \$2,000 from Dr. Peter Cutrera by threats to take the physician's life.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

DYSPEPSIA

"Having taken your wonderful 'Cascarets' for three months and being entirely cured of stomach catarrh and dyspepsia, I think a word of praise is due to 'Cascarets' for their wonderful composition. I have taken numerous other so-called remedies but without avail, and I find that Cascarets relieve more in a day than all the others I have taken would in a year."

James McGune,
108 Mercer St., Jersey City, N. J.
Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Taste Good. Do Good. Never Sicken, Weaken or Grip. 10c, 25c, 50c. Never sold in bulk. The genuine tablet stamped C.C.C. Guaranteed to cure or your money back.

Mrs. H. C. Schulenberg and daughter and Miss Emma Groth of Preston were La Crosse callers Wednesday.

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Piano Bond Credit Certificate Clearing House Sale For 6 Days Only

We are going to make our store the clearing house for all outstanding piano bonds or credit certificates. If you hold one of these bonds or certificates no matter how big or small, or who they are from, whether outlawed or not, we will allow \$100.00 for it to apply on the purchase price of any new piano in our store from the regular retail factory prices, and besides this we will donate stool and scarf with each piano and deliver it to your home.

Just think of it. Your Gold Bond or Credit Certificate, whether large or small, issued by any house, even if outlawed, will be taken at the same price \$100.00. If you are so unfortunate as not to own one of these bonds or certificates come in and get one free, and if you don't care for one of these come in and get a piano anyway and we will give you a discount of \$100.00 from the regular retail factory prices. We want your money and must have it within 6 days, that is all.

THE BERGH PIANO CO.

The Largest And Most Reliable Music House

Oyen's Wall Paper

Always gives satisfaction because we show excellent taste in its selection.

Oyen's Workmanship

The only kind in La Crosse that carries a positive guarantee of satisfaction.

Oyen's Quality

is of the highest. Its fame has grown through 20 consecutive seasons.

Oyen's Prices

Are always the lowest consistent with character of work to be done.

Oyen's Store

Is the most complete and up-to-date decorating establishment in the Northwest, 114 South Fourth street, La Crosse, Wis.

An oft heard saying: "If you want it done right, have Oyen do it."

Oranges Now Cheaper Than Apples

Go to your dealer and ask the price of a peck of the finest oranges in the market---the famous "Sunkist" brand. Then ask the price of choice table apples. And when he tells you that "Sunkist" Oranges are cheaper than apples you will understand why there will be another

SPECIAL SALE OF "SUNKIST" ORANGES

Throughout this entire territory for ONE WEEK

Beginning Monday, April 5th

Trainloads of "Sunkist" Oranges are now here and being distributed for this special sale.

Your dealer can supply you. Don't buy apples when you can get these luscious, hand-picked, seedless "Sunkist" oranges at a

lower price. Apples are good as a food, but oranges are better. Apples are pleasant to the taste, but oranges are pleasanter. Instead of a bushel of apples tell your dealer to send up a bushel of "Sunkist" Oranges.

"Sunkist" Oranges are grown in the most highly cultivated orange groves in the world—in the orchards of 5000 California orange farmers. : : : : :

Don't be satisfied when you merely order oranges. Ask for "Sunkist" Oranges and look for the "Sunkist" label on the end of the box.



Be sure the oranges you buy are the best you've ever eaten. The "Sunkist" label on the end of the box is your guarantee.

And they are the BEST OF THE BEST—the only ones that are sold under the SUNKIST label.

REMEMBER the Date!

REMEMBER—Cheaper Than Apples!

BURNS' Fruit House

"LEN" LOTTRIDGE LETTERS

(Continued from Page 3.)

the question has been hot and furious at times. These southern states with beet sugar districts in the north all stand firm for a protective duty on sugar and will doubtless succeed.

When the great diversified and varied interests of the different states in this government are fully considered, it seems an utter impossibility to frame a tariff measure that will satisfy all classes, and as the debates on the Payne bill progress, party lines and party discipline fall to influence or control members in full support of all of its many provisions. Yesterday Congressman Nye of Minneapolis, who is a staunch republican, made a bitter attack on the pending bill and declared for free lumber.

I have been surprised to find so many colored Catholics in this city. They have two churches here, St. Cyprian in the southeast part, and St. Augustine in the northwest part of Washington, mostly under the pastoral care and guidance of colored preachers, and it is safe to say that colored Catholics are among the best residents in our capital city. They are constant attendants at mass, and all church gatherings. Besides having churches of their own, many colored people attend the white Catholic churches, where they find seats on benches prepared for them in the rear of the main audience room, and some of them aid in the capacity of

ushers or assistants in subordinate church work, which they seem to much enjoy.

In St. Augustine church they have a colored choir that is considered one of the best in this city and ranks up well with Prof. Bischoff's choir in the First Congregational church, which under the direction of the blind organist is the best in the land, both as to quality and quantity, as it consists of over fifty highly trained voices. It is calculated that 30 per cent of the population are of negro blood, and the black faces are seen in every department of our government. Most of the servants, male and female, are addicted to beer and whiskey drinking, but many of the better class are active temperance workers and supporters of good order in the community.

We have had hardly a real winter day the past four months, but today old residents say this is the most backward spring known here for many years.

I had a call from Charles McKenney, the enrolling clerk of the house of representatives, who began clerk work here twenty-five years ago. He formerly lived in La Crosse, where he married a sister of Dr. Miller, but he has been a resident of St. Paul for a number of years, where his wife keeps house while he is temporarily employed in the capitol. He is in good health and spirits and time seems to have dealt lightly with him.

Ex-Congressman Babcock is quite seriously ill at his home on Pennsylvania avenue, which gives his friends much anxiety as to the result. After the expiration of his congressional term he made this city his home and has since that time resided here with his wife. He is reported to be a wealthy gentleman having large real estate interests in Washington. He keeps horses and carriages and a colored driver and hopes to spend the rest of his days here.

Ex-Congressman Geo. Hazelton is residing here with his wife and for years has been engaged in the practice of the law and is a partner with his son in New York city in legal work. While he has not accumulated as much riches as some, he has been very good to Geo. Hazelton and has set on his table the choicest and best

food that money could buy and when time is called on him he will not go indebted to himself one cent. Age has made its imprint on him but he is about as active as ever and is yet one of the ablest and most eloquent advocates in the legal profession. During his campaigns for a seat in the house of representatives he was the foremost orator on the stump in Wisconsin and held his audiences spell-bound by his power of oratory and masterly eloquence, and since he retired from the floor of the house, Wisconsin has not produced his equal as an advocate at the bar of the house. He keeps neither horses or carriages, but lives modestly and quietly in his own home and will probably spend the remainder of his days in this city.

Washington beats any city I was ever in for sudden changes in the weather. It will pucker up and rain and then clear off the quickest of any place in America. The prudent person when going out should always carry an umbrella or rain coat, for no matter how bright and clear the day may be, it may cloud up and rain in a very short time, and the warnings of storms are very brief.

A notice has been sent to absent members of the house to be on the floor tomorrow (Thursday) morning, and it looks as if some important move is to be made regarding the tariff bill. It seems as though the longer the debate is kept up the wider the members are apart.

YEOMEN READY FOR CONVENTION

The Brotherhood of American Yeomen have completed all arrangements for the state convention to be held here Tuesday in Coren hall. A class of over fifty new members will be adopted in the evening and the full work will be put on by the degree team. A fine program has been prepared for the occasion. This meeting will be for members only.

Rowena Circle, Brotherhood of American Yeomen, gave the eleventh of their series of public card parties Tuesday afternoon. The usual large attendance was present. The circle will not hold their next regular meeting until Tuesday afternoon, April 13th.

A DAUGHTER OF KNOX



Mrs. J. R. Tindle, daughter of Secretary of State P. C. Knox, is shown in the gown she wore at the inaugural ball. She will assist her mother, Mrs. C. P. Knox, at many important social and diplomatic functions to be held during the present season in the home of the secretary of state at Washington.

During the spring every one would be benefitted by taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. It furnishes a needed tonic to the kidneys after the extra strain of winter, and it purifies the blood by stimulating the kidneys, and causing them to eliminate the impurities from it. Foley's Kidney Remedy imparts new life and vigor. Pleasant to take, O. T. Erhart.

Read The Tribune Want Ads.

IMPORTANT COURT DECISIONS

INJURIES CAUSED BY NEGLECT OF SHIPPERS TO STATE TRUE WEIGHT OF GOODS.—In Hanna vs. Pitt 106 New York Supplement, 145, defendant delivered to a steamship company for shipment a piece of machinery under the representation that its weight would not exceed 9,000 pounds. The machinery,

however, weighed 19,000 pounds. Plaintiff alleged that by reason of the misrepresentation, the steamship company attempted to unload it with machinery unable to stand the strain and that it broke, causing injuries to a stevedore, to whom the company was obliged to respond in damages. Action was instituted against the shipper to recover the sum so paid. The New York supreme court held that, as the weight of the machinery was as easily determined by the carrier as the shipper, no recovery could be had.

If you have backache and urinary troubles you should take Foley's Kidney Remedy to strengthen and build up the kidneys so they will act properly, as a serious kidney trouble may develop. O. T. Erhart.

Read The Tribune Want Ads.



Now Another Smile

What is life if we cannot enjoy it? Let us be happy; let us be friendly; let us be joyful and glad. Every glass of

Gund's Peerless Beer

"The Beer that makes the world smile with you,"

is a glass of pleasure—a bumper of joy. It is so good and it tastes so fine. For over half a century PEERLESS has been brewed by the exclusive GUND NATURAL PROCESS. It contains all the rich vital properties of the finest, plumpest Northwestern barley; and comes to your table laden with strength, pleasure and absolute satisfaction.

JOHN GUND BREWING CO., La Crosse, Wisconsin
Both Phones 85

Coffee Dyspepsia

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clears all doubts.

"There's a Reason"

Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

The Best in the Basket

It's a Biscuit Flour
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GOLD MEDAL FLOUR

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THE VERY HIGHEST QUALITY

CONSTRUCTION OF M'CALL'S FERRY DAM



HARRISBURG, Pa., March 22.—The damming of the Susquehanna river is a gigantic enterprise and when it is completed will distribute 150,000 horsepower over electric wires to such manufacturing centers as Baltimore, Washington, York, Lancaster, Philadelphia and Harrisburg, all of which lie within a radius of 75 miles of the dam.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

\$12,000,000 IN PRIZES

Pacific Coast House Talks Horse-Sense About The So-Called Piano "Purchase Certificates."

The Wiley B. Allen Co., San Francisco, have issued to the San Francisco public a statement entitled, "Common Sense and Piano Bonds." It reads as follows:

"Within the past four months as 'prizes' for solving rebus puzzles, counting dots on piano pictures, word contests, geographical problems, etc., there has been distributed in San Francisco, Oakland and the cities of the bay counties more than \$12,000,000 in certificates, gold bonds, manufacturers' bonds, credit coupons, etc., which are good only if applied on the purchase price of a new piano at the store from which the bond or certificate is issued, not more than one certificate to apply on any purchase. Thousands of persons have answered these advertisements, sending their solution of the puzzle, and to each and everyone of these has been mailed a bond or certificate, varying in its apparent value from \$80 to \$125—the average amount being \$100—regardless of the correctness of the answer submitted.

"In a recent prize contest one piano firm claimed to have received more than 30,000 replies. Taking the smallest bond issued by that house, which was \$80, it would appear that \$2,400,000 in bonds is outstanding against that concern. Another firm recently sent out 7,000 certificates of \$125 each, or \$875,000, thus creating a floating indebtedness in this amount, all of which is redeemable only by applying the face value of the certificate of purchase usually price of a new piano, and limiting the time of purchase usually to one month from the date of the bond. During the past year not less than ten of these certificate and bond contests have been advertised and carried out in San Francisco and Oakland. It is safe to say that today there are in circulation not less than \$20,000,000 in bonds and certificates bearing the signature of piano firms and music dealers.

"This whole bond plan is based on the desire of the public generally to get 'something for nothing,' the selling plan usually adopted being to mark up the price of all pianos from \$100 to \$150, then deducting the face value of the bond from the market price. The rest is easy. The buyer gets the piano, paying for it \$100 to \$150 more than the regular price, and having the face value of his bond deducted or credited to his account on the piano contract.

"If a piano bond is worth \$100 on a piano, it should have a fixed monetary value, which should apply on any other article of merchandise carried by the house issuing the bond. No bond house will accept these credits in payment for other goods. Try and buy a phonograph with a \$100 bond. 'Can't be done. Offer it for a 50 cent sheet of music—\$100 for 50 cents—and get turned down.'

Take your piano bond and go to the house issuing it; select your piano, learn the cash difference—**What you must pay in money**—then come to our store or go to any dealer in the city who does not issue certificates, bonds, etc., and you can buy the same piano, grade for grade, quality for quality, for 15 per cent. to 25 per cent. less than the cash difference at the bond house. Come in and talk it over.

FRED LEITHOLD
325 Main Street

IN THE NATION'S CAPITOL

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 3.—Wisconsin is the only state from which a delegation has been sent that in the consideration of tariff schedules has had spirit enough to lift itself above mere local influences and decide its action on important tariff schedules upon the broad basis of their effect upon the general business of the country.

The meeting of the Wisconsin delegation upon the tariff was harmonious and declared in favor of:

- Free lumber.
- Free iron ore.
- Free hides.
- Free oil.
- Free coal.
- Free tea.
- Free coffee.
- Reduction of the woolen schedule.

Reduction of the cotton schedule. The delegation determined not only to stand for these things but to ask for the barley growers of Wisconsin an increase on the duty on barley to 25c a bushel. The committee on ways and means, it is understood, will recommend such an amendment, although the brewers and maltsters are pressing hard to have the reduction to 15c a bushel as was reported in the bill maintained.

Another important amendment demanded by the Wisconsin delegation is that the drawback feature of the bill be made specific. The purpose of this is to prevent the importation of foreign goods, their manufacture in this country, and the exportation of products of this country as substitutes for the importations made in the first instance for manufacturing purposes.

Hon. J. W. Babcock, former congressman from Wisconsin, is seriously ill at his home in this city in another room in the house lies Mrs. Babcock suffering from a stroke of paralysis brought on by the care and worry incident to the illness of her husband. Mrs. Babcock was stricken on Tuesday, and although her condition is serious, the physicians claim there is no immediate danger. All knowledge as to the condition of his wife has been kept from the public by the former congressman as the physicians feared the effect upon him of any announcement of Mrs. Babcock's illness. While the condition of each is serious, the physicians do not believe that either is in immediate danger of death.

Senator La Follette sat Wednesday for the first time as the presiding officer over a committee of the United States senate. The census committee held its first meeting. From the attendance, it is evident that there was more than passing interest in the consideration which the census bill is to receive from a committee presided over by the senior senator from Wisconsin. Members of the committee learn that Mr. La Follette had not been idle since the bill had been referred and that he had been in communication not only with the census bureau but also with the civil service commission, with commercial and labor organizations and with other bodies that are interested in having the census made as thoroughly as possible. Mr. La Follette had many amendments to offer to the bill as it passed the house. Some of these were of considerable importance, widening the scope of the census work. One was to the effect that the civil service rule applied to the census should be a real and not a make believe civil service, while others were such as would better facilitate the administration of the law.

BEING SAVED A SIMPLE MATTER

"As simple as a marriage engagement," is the way Rev. A. Lincoln Shute described the second step which man must take in order to be saved, at the First Methodist Episcopal church last evening. His text was, "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved." He said in part:

"Man has violated the law of God. It is for God to fix the conditions of pardon. When once a man is sufficiently sorry for his sin, to be willing to quit it and to determine to be saved from it, God has said that the one thing which he must do is to be-

lieve his Son, Jesus Christ. 'God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth on Him should not perish, but have eternal life.' By grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God. In this point Paul and James are in exact accord. Paul speaks of the condition of forgiveness, the beginning of salvation, and says that faith is the one essential. James is talking to the Christian, and says that he must prove his faith by his works, that a good life of holiness and service must result, if a man is really saved.

Faith Only Condition.
"Believing the redeeming Christ is essential, whom God hath set forth to be a propitiation through faith in his blood." The atoning death of Christ is the only ground whereupon God can be just and also the justifier of him that has faith in Jesus. And faith in that crucified Christ is the only condition for obtaining the forgiveness of sin. 'Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved.'

"But what does it mean to believe? I am conscious of sin, of my inability in my own strength to be pure and to overcome temptation; that I am under the wrath and just condemnation of the divine Judge, and doomed to eternal death and woe. I hear the Gospel message, 'the Good News' of salvation—that a Savior loves me and is able and willing to save me, and that he has given every proof of his faithfulness and trustworthiness. Thus much I must believe, as certainly as I must believe that two and two make four. Now comes in the voluntary element. I accept and receive Christ as my Savior; and faith becomes the confidence of a sure trust' by which I rest directly in Jesus for immediate forgiveness for sin.

More Than Intellectual Belief.
In order thus to trust, I must bow to the absolute rule of Christ over my life as my Lord and King, and give full and hearty consent to the Gospel plan of salvation. If a man's disposition is right toward God, his Spirit will lead such an earnest inquirer quickly into the way of life.

"Such a faith is not a mere intellectual belief; 'the devils believe and shudder.' It is a surrender of the heart which brings peace. Just as simply as two young people decide that in all the world they two are the only ones for each other, and plight their troth to belong only to each other and to no other till death does them part, so does the man give himself to belong to Christ only and forever—to trust him as his Savior from sin and to obey him as the Master of his daily life."

"Heaven—Where and What Is It?" is the theme for Sunday evening.

NEWS OF NEARBY VILLAGES AND TOWNS

ONALASKA, WIS.

Mrs. Sarah Smith, an aged resident of Onalaska, died Wednesday morning after a long illness of a complication of diseases. Funeral arrangements announced later.

Mrs. M. M. Buttles entertained a number of ladies at a card party on Tuesday afternoon. Refreshments were served and a pleasant time is reported.

Mrs. M. Olson left for St. Paul Tuesday, where she will visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitbeck returned from a few days' visit at Council Bay Monday.

Prof. Cawley of La Crosse is giving

Try This Formula for Dandruff and Falling Hair

(From Le Matin, Paris, France.)

In response to request from our correspondent, Mme. Gracene, I reprint formula that appeared in issue of January 15 for falling hair and dandruff. The ingredients in this formula may be found in the drug stores of France, Germany, England and United States, and the preparation is to my belief the most satisfactory and dependable one for the above troubles; also for giving the hair vitality, health and a luxuriant growth.

One ounce beta quinol (liquid), half pint alcohol, half pint bay rum or warm water; mix well and apply daily. Get the ingredients and mix them yourself at home. If your druggist hasn't them he can easily get them for you.

WEAK STOMACHS

Some time, through neglect, or sympathetic weakness, it is impossible for the stomach to assimilate what it most needs. In such cases it becomes necessary to administer a neutralizing mixture to prevent the formation of gas in the intestines, and give the stomach an opportunity to resume its functions. For this purpose the following formula has been recommended: One-half ounce sodium phosphate, one ounce essence of sealant, one-half teaspoonful baking soda, enough pure water to make eight ounces. It has been claimed that this simple mixture, taken two teaspoonfuls before each meal, will stimulate the gastric juices, check fermentation in the intestines and thus aid the stomach in assuming its natural functions.

Cut this out, in case you may sometime need it. Any druggist can make up this mixture at a cost not exceeding 60 or 65 cents.

ing instructions to the singers in the cantata to be given at the M. E. church Thursday, April 8.

Fishermen are busy taking out their nets before the breaking up of the ice carries them away.

Joe Watneck, a brickmason employed at the agricultural school, left for Portland, Oregon, Thursday.

John Hill, a former resident who has lived in Chicago for many years, returned yesterday and intends to make his home in this vicinity.

Work of remodeling the pickle and canning factory will be started in about a week, in order to have the work completed before the canning season.

MORMON COULEE, WIS.

That the south was justified in seceding from the union, was the decision reached by the judges at the debate held in district 2 on Monday evening of last week. The speakers upholding the south were Rudie Freehoff and Olga Kaser, while against them were Walter Egger and Julia Freehoff. The debate was hotly contested.

The program consisted of a few songs, followed by a masterly rendering of "Asleep at the Switch," by Walter Egger, who was obliged to respond to an encore. There were a few more songs, another recitation, "Colonel Ingersoll's Vision of the Past" by Olga Kaser, and the debate.

The question debated upon this week was, "Resolved, that the world is progressing morally." The verdict of the judges was in favor of the negative, which was upheld by Rudie Freehoff and Gustave Kreibich. On the affirmative were Julia Freehoff and John Anderreg. Recitations by Edwin Freehoff, Rose Anderreg, Frank Egger and Julia Freehoff formed a part of the program and were well received. The question for next Monday is, "Resolved that country roads be improved."

UP BEFORE THE BAR

N. H. Brown, an attorney of Pittsfield Vt., writes: "We have used Dr. King's New Life Pills for years and find them such a good family medicine we wouldn't be without them." For Chills, Constipation, Biliousness or Sick Headache they work wonders. 25c at O. T. Erhart's.

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN

An entertainment of special interest to Prairie du Chien people is the lecture to be given at the Grand Opera hall on April 14th by Mr. Edward B. Barr of Oshkosh. The subject will be "On the Trail of Marquette" and will be illustrated by stereopticon slides, many of which have been prepared by Mr. James Paris of this city. The lecture is given under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild of the Episcopal church.

Miss Gertrude Hahn is visiting relatives in the country during vacation week.

Mr. George Sutherland of Sparta is in the city for a few days representing the Oriental Rug company of La Crosse.

Mr. Roy Allen left Thursday for Dubuque, where he will be employed as a pitcher for the Dubuque baseball team for the summer. Mr. Allen is a member of the Tri-state league.

A number of young people were entertained at the Evert home Thurs-

day evening in honor of the fourteenth birthday of Willie Evert.

Mrs. William Swingle entertained the Frauen Verein Wednesday evening in honor of her mother, Mrs. Oel-schlager to celebrate her eighty-fourth birthday.

Miss Jennie Weisenberg left a few days ago for a visit of several weeks with relatives in St. Paul and Clear Lake, S. D.

Miss May Johnson is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Glasson in La Crosse.

Mr. and Mrs. Dot Wells made a trip to Dubuque this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Amann spent a few days in Chicago returning Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Smrcina and little son are visiting relatives in Madison.

Dr. Spencer returned Wednesday from a business trip to Marshfield, Wis.

Mr. Dan Mackin of the Dousman house was a Dubuque business caller the first of the week.

There will be confirmation service at St. Peter's German Lutheran church next Sunday morning beginning at 9 o'clock.

Dr. W. T. Pinkerton made a business trip to Madison Thursday, returning in the evening.

Among the many persons from here in attendance at the funeral of Hon. Atley Peterson at Soldiers Grove, Friday, were Messrs. Thomas De Lacy, Henry Otto, W. R. Graves, J. S. Earll, John L. Thomas, John Stackland, K. I. Johnson, M. R. Munson, P. Evans and Fred Hamnerly.

Mrs. Laura B. Wright has returned from a visit with relatives in Mazomanie, Wis.

McGREGOR, IOWA

Monday, March 29, the city election was held after a spirited campaign. J. A. Walter, the former mayor, was elected by a small majority. Fred Richards was elected city treasurer by a majority of one vote.

J. A. Barker went to Portland, Ore., Monday.

Mrs. Will Scott returned to Chicago after an extended visit with Mrs. C. H. Barron Tuesday.

Mrs. MacReynolds departed for Rockford, Ill., for a visit with her daughter Tuesday.

Miss Bessie Updegraff went to Chicago Tuesday afternoon.

Suplt. Stapleton was in the city Monday.

Mrs. Schall's class of boys will give a social in the M. E. church Friday, April 9th.

J. K. Gray went to Waukon Tuesday.

Will Brown of Waukon was in town Monday, returning home Tuesday.

Mrs. Felber made a business trip to La Crosse this week.

Mrs. John Atall has returned to Waukon, Junction.

Mrs. Mary J. Frese is visiting at La Crosse.

Miss Grace Donovan returned from La Crosse this week.

Francis MacReynolds is visiting friends at Boscobel, Wis.

Mrs. Klein and daughter, Mrs. Long, have returned from Chicago.

Miss Rozella Teskey is spending the week at her home at Maquoketa, Ia.

Mrs. Cy Morse of Elkader has been visiting her sister, Mrs. C. W. Bean. Miss Sophia Toubel of Prairie du Chien is visiting McGregor friends.

Misses Lucy and Alice Kinsley, teachers in the Marshalltown schools, are spending the week here among relatives and friends.

Mrs. Lottie E. Post of Madison, Wis., arrived here on her way to Garrettsville.

Miss Marquette Jacobs went to New Hampton, Iowa, to act as nurse, her aunt, Mrs. Stella Springer, being very ill.

Misses Harriet Kinsley and Katherine Kramer went to Monona to spend a few days with relatives.

The social given in the M. E. church parlors last evening was well attended.

Miss Sue Powell arrived from Luana yesterday.

Tom Mulhall of Mason City was in town Tuesday.

Our merchants have a bargain day sale Saturday. These sales bring people to our town.

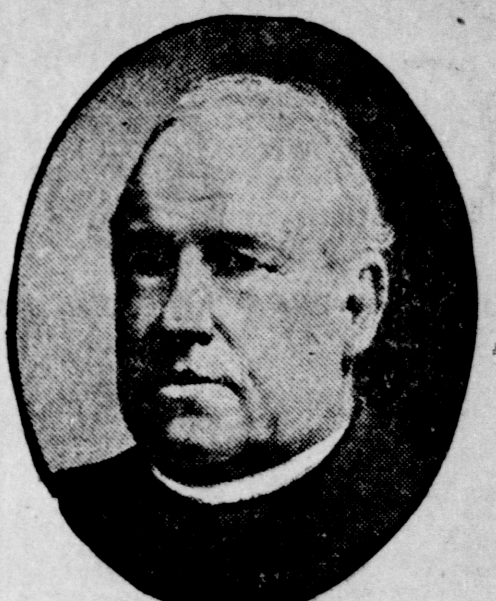
Miss Sarah Bailey is spending her vacation at Fayette.

The Whist club was entertained by Mrs. C. L. Buck last evening.

Mrs. Otto Klein is visiting Mrs. Julia Klein at St. Louis.

Miss Dora Wyatt is spending a few days at Mr. Vernon's.

Mrs. F. D. Hatch leaves tomorrow



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Miss Regina McKone is spending her vacation at Dubuque and Chicago.

Mrs. B. R. Warner is home from a visit with her son and family at Charles City.

Mrs. F. A. Smith and daughter Bessie are home from their visit at Elkader.

Miss Katherine Sweeney went to Tripoli, Ia., where she will teach school.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schlatter of Lake Mills have been visiting with C. A. Jordan and family.

Miss Dora F. Carter went to her home at Hesper to spend her vacation.

Mrs. J. G. McCullum and daughter Edith came down from Decorah and are visiting with Mrs. Goddard and Mrs. Dornback.

Regina Brennan arrived home this morning from Ames, where she has been attending school.

Mrs. Geo. Bryan has returned from her visit at Bimidi, Minn.

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**AL WILSON COMES
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Al H. Wilson, the ambassador of

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**SERVANT IN THE
HOUSE TUESDAY**GREAT PLAY IS ONE OF A SE-
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Theatre Managers

"The Servant in the House" is the depiction of the idea of love and truth in life that saves. Understand that I do not approve these phrases. I am the sworn enemy of phrases. But they seem to approximate most nearly to the meaning which I am trying to express. "The Winterfest" expresses the lie and hate in life which destroys. The third play will deal with the bondage in life and that license which is opposed to true freedom. This I will call "The Idol Breaker." The fourth will show the freedom of life and the voluntary discipline which saves. The fifth concerns the fear that is in life—the world fear, the God fear, the love fear, the life fear—all the types of universal fear. The sixth is a portrayal of courage—the courage that saves. The trouble of all these terms which I am obliged to use to express the sense that I desire is that they all lend themselves too readily to theological association and analysis; not a word of all these imposing phrases but has been destroyed and desecrated by some heretic. The seventh play—which will probably be written fourth, because I am already so full of it, and so eager to get to work—will embrace all these previous problems, as well as a new one, that of the east and west and will be handled may I say contrapuntally? I find the musical terms invaluable once in a while.

"I don't expect to have a top hat on the series, and if I should, I shall take care that it is knocked off by some really rude soul about Act V. Thank God, I love melodrama, and I approve of that term theatrical; in trying not to be theatrical people have only succeeded in being dull. My two masters have been Beethoven and Sophocles. I read Sophocles long before I read Ibsen, and though Ibsen has influenced me, the effect has never been so conscious as that of Sophocles. In my work I have taken Sophocles, as it were, technically, and tried to translate him into modern theatrical construction. I felt that I would add to all the technical difficulties of the modern stage all the classical difficulties also, and as many more as an ingenious and rather diabolical temperament could imagine. Hence "The Servant in the House." Unless I am smashed by spiritual pride, the others will follow."

**THE FIRST VIOLIN
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The title role of "The First Violin," that of Eugene Courvoisier, may be said to be one of the finest roles ever portrayed in a drama.

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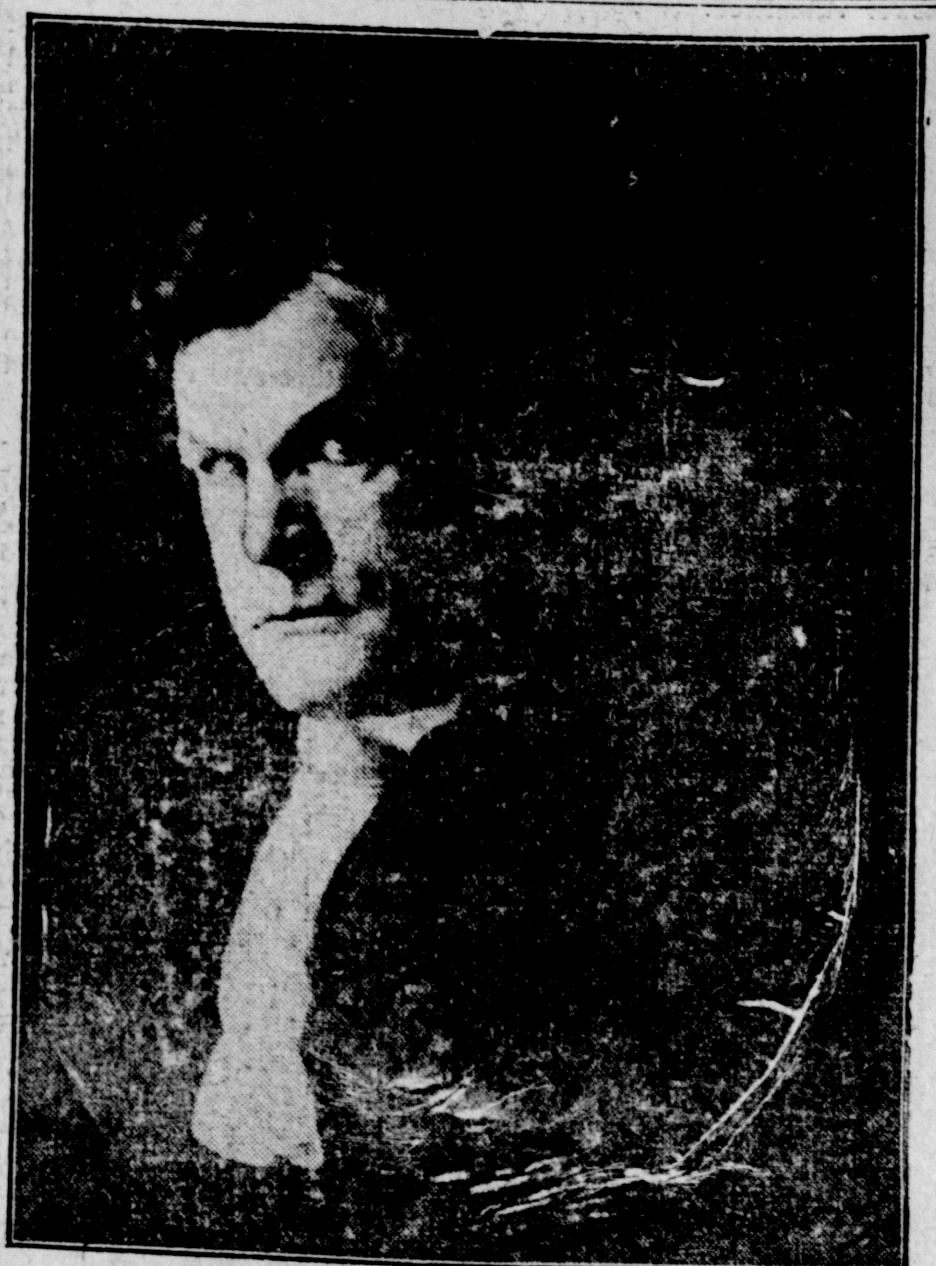


MR TRUE JAMES

the character is remembered, as a noble hero, who has sacrificed much, to shield his wife from the crime of forgery, who buries the secret in his heart, and prefers to be known simply as "The First Violin" in a theater far from home.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO COUNTY COURT State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County.—ss: In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the first Tuesday, being the fourth day of May, A. D. 1909, at ten o'clock a.m., the following matter will be heard and considered namely:

In the matter of the estate of John Schaller, deceased. The application of Lena Schaller, executrix, for the examination and allowance of her final administration account, and for the assignment of the residue of the estate left by deceased to such other persons as are by law entitled to the same.

Dated March 24, A. D. 1909. By order of the Court, JOHN BRINDLEY, County Judge.

COMPARATIVE MARKETS

These Quotations Show the General Trend of Prices for the Preceding Week.

LIVESTOCK YESTERDAY CHICAGO, April 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; steady; beefs, \$4.70 to \$7.10; Texans, \$4.40 to \$5.50; western, \$4 to \$5.50; stockers and feeders, \$3.50 to \$5; cows and heifers, \$1.90 to \$5.65; calves, \$6 to \$8.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 19,000; strong; light, \$6.60 to \$7; mixed, \$6.65 to \$7.12; heavy, \$6.75 to \$7.15; rough, \$6.75 to \$6.90; Yorkers, \$6.90 to \$7; pigs, \$5.60 to \$6.45.

Sheep—Receipts, 6,000; steady; native, \$3.75 to \$6.40; western, \$3.75 to \$6.50; lambs, \$6 to \$8.30; western, \$6 to \$8.40.

WHEAT—CHICAGO, April 2.—Mav wheat bounded up at the opening, touching the high price made during the Gates deal, \$1.21 1/2. July also made new crop record, \$1.08 1/2. Owing to the fact that the Dickinson trades were closed out, trade in wheat and corn was large and fairly general. Corn also opened higher; oats higher and active. Provisions active.

11 a. m.—Continued buying by Patten kept wheat strong and after the first hour, May went to \$1.21 1/2, later settling back to \$1.21 1/2. There was considerable selling of wheat at this figure, but it was all bought up at once. Corn strong.

Close—Before the close May wheat went to \$1.22 1/2 and July to \$1.08 1/2. Both closed strong, the former within half and the latter 1/2 of the day's high figure. Corn was weaker at the close.

Open. High. Low. Close. WHEAT—May .. 121 1/2 122 1/2 120 1/2 121 1/2 July .. 108 1/2 108 3/4 108 1/2 108 1/2 Sept .. 100 1/2 100 3/4 100 1/2 100 1/2

CORN—May .. 67 68 67 68 July .. 66 67 66 67 Sept .. 66 67 66 67

OATS—May .. 55 55 55 55 July .. 48 48 48 48 Sept .. 40 40 40 40

PORK—May .. 1787 1792 1787 1790 July .. 1015 1015 1012 1015 Sept .. 1025 1025 1020 1022

LARD—May .. 935 935 932 935 July .. 947 950 945 945

MANIAC MURDERS FATHER. NILES, O., April 3.—There is little doubt that Richard Lee, in jail here for murdering his father, Samuel, last night, will be adjudged insane.

The family was sitting at the dinner table when the father asked the son to pass the butter.

"I won't," said Richard, to everybody's astonishment.

"Oh, yes, let your old father have some more butter," said the aged man, thinking his son was joking.

Instantly Richard rose in his place, grabbed a sharp steel bread knife from the table and plunged it into his father's heart.

"There's another Indian dead," said the son, as he sat down laughing. He quietly continued eating until the police came and took him to jail.

HALF MILLION FIRE LOSS. PHILADELPHIA, April 3.—A fire, which for a time threatened the Kensington factory district, today burned out 17 firms in the six-story block bounded by Front, Laurel and Haydock streets and Frankfort avenue, causing a loss of \$500,000. The fire followed an explosion in the trunk factory of Rangnon and Hall on the second floor, which tore through four stories, blew off the roof and was beyond control before the firemen arrived.

A number of firemen and police had narrow escapes.

DETROIT, Mich., April 3.—Three men were injured, two seriously, it became known today, in two cave-ins at the Windsor end of the Michigan Central tunnel under the Detroit River yesterday.

DAILY MARKETS

FOREIGN MARKETS

New York Stocks. NEW YORK, April 3.—The reaction continued in full swing this morning carrying prices of a majority of issues down sharply in the first few minutes; losses ranging from fractions to about one point.

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IN THE CHURCHES

Emanuel Evangelical Association.
Emanuel Church of the Evangelical association, Twelfth and Vine. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.; morning service at 10:30. Young People's meeting 6:45 p. m. Evening service 7:30 p. m.

Norwegian Lutheran.
Norwegian Lutheran church, corner of Sixth and Division streets. Rev. H. G. Magelsson, pastor.—Regular services.

First Baptist Church.
Rev. J. E. Ayscue, pastor. Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school, 11:45; Young

People's meeting at 6:30. Colton mission Sunday school at 3 o'clock.

Y. W. C. A.
Y. W. C. A., 410 Cass street.—Sunday afternoon, 4 o'clock.

Y. M. C. A.
425 King street; Oliver J. Ash, acting secretary. Meeting for young men at 4 o'clock will be conducted by the men of the Tabernacle Baptist church. Mr. H. Baumgarten will lead the song service. All young men are cordially invited to attend and enjoy the meeting.

People's Sunday School.
People's Sunday school meets in

Travelers' hall, Linker building, corner of Fourth and Main streets, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The usual program of health exercise will be carried out.

Spiritualist Church.
First Spiritualist church, Linker's hall, corner Fourth and Main.—Usual services will be held.

Christian Science.
First Church of Christ, Scientist, King street, between Fifth and Sixth. Sunday services at 10:30 a. m.; subject, "Unreality." Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:45 p. m.

German Baptist.
German Baptist church, corner of Seventh and Winnebago streets. Rev. E. Berger, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Sunday morning service at 10:45. At the evening service, 7:30, the Sunday school will have a Bible day exercise and the pastor will deliver a short address. The missionary committee of the Nord-

western German Baptist conference, consisting of Rev. F. H. Heinemann of Minnistris, Minn.; Rev. A. Horinger of Eureka, S. D.; Rev. J. Jaeger of Buffalo Center, Ia.; Rev. L. Koester of Appleton, Ia.; and Rev. S. A. Kose of Milwaukee, Wis., will meet here with the German Baptist church. In connection with these meetings services will be held every evening except Monday and Saturday.

English Lutheran.
The English Lutheran church of the Holy Trinity, West avenue and Ferry street. Rev. J. J. Clemens, pastor. Palm Sunday services as follows: Chief service and confirmation at 10:30 a. m.; evening service at 7:45 o'clock; Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Good Friday service with confession at 8 o'clock.

WHAT A WOMAN WILL NOT DO

There is nothing a woman would not do to regain her lost beauty. She ought to be fully as zealous in preserving her good looks. The herb drink called Lane's Family Medicine or Lane's Tea is the most efficient aid in preserving a beautiful skin, and will do more than anything else to restore the roses to faded cheeks. At all druggists' and dealers', 25c.

Episcopal Church.
Christ church, Ninth and Main streets (Episcopal). Rev. C. N. Moller, rector; organist, Mr. Urquhart Cawley, B. A. Services for the sixth Sunday in Lent:
8:00—Holy communion.
9:30—Sunday school.
10:45—Morning service.
Benedictus—Brewer in G.
Benedictus—Garrett in E flat.
Anthem—"Jerusalem," Parker.
Palm Sunday sermon.
7:30—Evening service.
Service—Lemaire in F.
Anthem—"Savior When Night," Shelley.
Sermon—"Christian Unity," continued: "Predestination and Election."

St. Paul's Universalist.
St. Paul's Universalist church, Eighth and Cass. Rev. J. S. Lowe, pastor. Regular preaching services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at noon. Subject of the morning sermon, "The Heavenly Vision." People's Devotional service at 7 p. m. in the Sunday school room.

Westminster Presbyterian.
Westminster Presbyterian church, Redfield street. Preaching service at 10:30. Dr. W. D. Thomas will conduct the service.

First Methodist Episcopal Church.
King and Eighth streets, Rev. A. Lincoln Shute, pastor. Class meeting,

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5. Answer.
6. I Wish I Had a Girl.
7. Yankee Prince.
8. Glow Worm.
9. American Heroes.
10. Amnia.

Monday, April 5th.

Andre's La Crosse Theatre Orchestra.

AFTERNOON PROGRAM.

2 to 5 O'clock.

1. March, "Society Swing."
2. Intermezzo, "Cupid's Garden."
3. Selection, "Ragged Robin," Chauncey Olcott.
4. Grand Operatic, Medley Waltz.
5. March, "I'm Afraid to Go Home in the Dark."
6. A Summer Idyl—in a Shady Nook.
7. Selection, "The Three Twins."
8. March, "Mandy Lane."
9. Medley Overture, Hits of 1909.
10. Selections from the Opera "Bohemian Girl."
11. Apple Blossoms—Reverie.
12. March, "The Rogers Bros. in Panama."

EVENING PROGRAM.

7 to 9 O'clock.

1. March, "Excursion Party."
2. Selection, "The Girl at the Helm."
3. A Tone Poem—Lilacs.
4. Selection, "The Alaskan."
5. March, "Pride of the Prairie."
6. Overture, "Grand Knight."
7. The Coconut Dance.
8. A Stubborn Cinderella.
9. March, "I Am Feeling Fine."
10. Selection, "The Grand Mogul."

9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m. Subject of sermon, "The King in Triumph." Sunday school, 12 m. Epworth league, 6:30 p. m. "Heaven—Where and What is It?" will be the pastor's theme at 7:30 p. m. Evangelistic services continue every night during the week, except Saturday. C. H. Baker leads the song service at 7:30 and Mr. Shute preaches at 8 p. m. The two themes of the week will be, "What Happens When We Get Salvation? And How May We Know When We Have It?" See elsewhere in this paper for the topic of each evening.

West Avenue M. E.
West Avenue M. E. church, West avenue, near Mississippi street, W. P. Cunningham, pastor. Lord's day services, 10:30 a. m. Sermon subject, "The Real King." 11:45 a. m. Sunday school. 6:45 p. m., Epworth league.

First Congregational.
First Congregational church, Main and Seventh streets, Henry Faville, pastor. Morning worship, 10:30, preceded by organ prelude by Prof. Packman. Preaching by the pastor. Topic, "Under Pontius Pilate." Vesper service in the church parlors at 7 p. m. Topic, "An Evening With Fanny Crosby." Bible school at noon. Men's class in first parlor of the church. Maunders' cantata "Penitence, Pardon and Peace" will be given by the church choir, assisted by church choir and an orchestra on next Thursday evening, under the direction of Prof. Packman.

First Presbyterian.
Rev. D. C. Jones, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Evening service at 7:30. Sunday school at 12. Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Subject of morning service, "Conversion and Decision." Evening subject, "The Way of Salvation Made Plain." Singing by the quartette. Four special services will be held during the week preparatory for the sacrament of the Lord's Supper to be observed Easter Sunday.

German Methodist.
German Methodist church, corner Seventh and Ferry streets, Rev. J. L. Panzlau, pastor.—Morning service at 10:30; Sunday school, 9:15 a. m.; Epworth league meeting at 6:45 p. m.; evening service at 7:30.

MISFORTUNE OF C. HANSON CONTINUES

The barn of Carl Hanson, 527 North Seventh, was burned last evening by a fire which originated in the loft from some mysterious cause. A quantity of hay stored in the loft was destroyed, though the live stock in the barn was rescued by neighbors.

Mr. Hanson has met with considerable misfortune lately. His wife is now lying ill at one of the hospitals and the present loss falls upon him severely. Mr. Hanson is one of the candidates for election to the board of public works, but owing to his hard luck has not been able to devote as much time to his campaign as the other candidates. However, friends have been working in his behalf and say his interests will not suffer for lack of attention upon election day.

JOHN SLETTEN TO BECOME FARMER

John Sletten, for the past thirty years a resident of the city, has resigned his position with the Segelke Kohaus Manufacturing company, and will move to his farm about three miles out of Westby, where he will make his home in the future. He will continue to maintain his property in the city but will devote most of his time and attention to agriculture.

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